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LONDON, Nov. 4.—While the gunboat Thistle was on a trial trip off Sheerness this afternoon her boiler exploded with terrible effect. Ten men were killed outright and eight were severely wounded.

The Land Question—Assault on Advocates of Fixed Tenure.

DUBLIN, Nov. 4.—While a party of priests and others were returning from a land meeting in Cavan they were attacked by persons lying in wait on the roadside, and were brutally beaten. One has since died from his injuries. The assault is generally considered an Orange outrage, and a Coroner's jury has brought a verdict of murder against seven Orangemen implicated in the affair.

The Lincoln Races—First Day.

LONDON, Nov. 4.—The Lincoln Races began to-day with the Lincoln Autumn Handicap of 100 sovereigns, added to a sweepstakes of 10 sovereigns each; 8 sovereigns forfeit, with penalties and allowances; one and a half miles, thirty-five subscribers. The race was won by Mr. FAIRE's *Adelaide*, 4 years old, 61 pounds; Mr. TEVOT's b. c. *Cardinal York*, by *Newminster*, out of *Lionne*, 3 years, 82 pounds, second; and Mr. H. LAMBERT's ch. c. *Asola*, 3 years, 91 pounds, third. Six ran. The betting was three to one against *Adelaide* and eleven to eight on Cardinal York.

AUSTRIA.

The Dalmatian Revolt—Another Battle—Defeat of the Insurgents—The Emperor in Greece.

TRIESTE, November 4.—Advices from Cattaro state that the troops, after a battle which lasted four hours, defeated the rebels and captured a strong position which had been occupied by them near Listo.

The population of two districts had surrendered to the Austrian authorities.

ATHENS, Greece, Nov. 4.—The Emperor of Austria has arrived in this city. He landed yesterday morning in the Piræus, where he was received by the King of Greece, and conducted to the city with great ceremony and festivity.

AUSTRIA AND ITALY.

The Forthcoming Meeting of the Sovereigns.

LONDON, Nov. 4.—It is now asserted that the contemplated interview between the Emperor FRANCIS JOSEPH and King VICTOR EMMANUEL will take place at Brindisi, in Italy, some time in the latter part of November.

SPAIN.

Topete's Resignation—Refusal of the Regent to Accept It—The Cortes and the Duke of Genoa.

MADRID, Nov. 4.—Admiral TOPETE insists upon tendering his resignation as one of the Cabinet. The Regent refuses to accept it, but the Admiral remains firm in his determination to withdraw. It is probable that the whole Cabinet will resign, and that General PRIM will form a new one.

The Cortes has again adjourned. It is thought that the Government will endeavor to fill the vacant seats in the Cortes with Deputies favorable to the elevation of the Duke of GENOA to the throne.

FRANCE.

Electoral Meetings in Paris—No Police Interference—The Empress at Suez.

PARIS, Nov. 4.—Many electoral meetings have been held in various parts of the city. The proceedings were orderly, and in no instance was the interference of the Police required. A dispatch from Alexandria announces the arrival of the Empress EUGENIE at the terminus of the Suez Canal.

PRUSSIA.

The Financial Budget—Reduction of the Debt.

BERLIN, Nov. 4.—The Ministerial Budget has been laid before the Diet. It recommends the creation of a sinking fund to absorb one per cent annually of the public debt, with a view to its ultimate extinction. The Budget also proposes the conversion of the present loan into four and a half per cent. rentes. If the Chamber agrees to these measures, the proposal for an augmentation of the taxes will be withdrawn.

THE ECUMENICAL COUNCIL.

The Subjects to be Acted on—The Initiative with the Pope—The Assumption and the Temporal Power.

LONDON, Nov. 4.—The correspondent of the *Post* writes as follows from Rome, concerning the expected action of the Council: "The dogmatic definition of the Assumption of the Virgin Mary will encounter no obstacle. The Pope earnestly desires the consolidation of this dogma. The erection into a dogma of the necessity of the temporal power is not considered possible by its most ardent champions. The foundation and the preservation of that power do not afford the elements of a dogma, and belief in its necessity is not even *pronxo fidei*, but only of high importance. Probably the protests of 1866 and 1867 will be received. It is suggested that the Liberal Bishops will advise that terms be made with the Kingdom of Italy, so that all appointments, even the Papacy, may be conferred without the destruction of nationality; but such a change of policy, although desirable, is impossible at present, and must be left to time and the force of events. The Council does not have the initiative with respect to the Syllabus. It would be absurd to think that the Syllabus will be abrogated. It is more probable that the Bishops will be asked to consider it by epoch and unanimous adhesion, and to explain such portions as are obscurely worded or erroneously interpreted. Beyond these points the Council will only be occupied with questions of internal discipline, such as reform, celibacy, the manner of admission and heresies with the Church, amplifications of the religious orders, the amelioration of instructions to the clergy, and the adaptation of the judicial powers of Bishops to the condition of society. It is important to observe that the initiative in everything belonging to the Pope alone. As the Roman Catholic hierarchy is strongly and judiciously constituted, it is improbable that any serious opposition will be manifested."

THE WEST INDIES.

Advices from Cuba, Hayti and San Domingo—Progress of the War in Hayti—Mission of the Sale of San Domingo to the United States.

HAVANA, Nov. 4.—Commander COX, of the English man-of-war *Pallas*, died yesterday.

The steamer *Washington*, from St. Nazaire, has arrived at this port.

JACMEL, Oct. 28, via HAVANA, Nov. 4.—General CHEVALIER, President SALNAVE's Secretary of War, after besieging the town of Jacmel for a fortnight, was compelled to raise the siege and march on the revolutionary forces of General BRIZE, who was advancing on the City of Port-au-Prince. General BRIZE had already captured the town of Miragoane.

ST. DOMINGO, Oct. 25, via HAVANA, Nov. 4.—The revolutionists remain inactive near the town of Azua.

The rumors prevalent of the sale of St. Domingo to the United States are gaining strength.

VENEZUELA.

The Revolution—Reported Capture of Maracaibo.

CARACAS, Oct. 30, via HAVANA, Nov. 4.—A report is in circulation that General MONAGAS has captured the town of Maracaibo.

THE PACIFIC COAST.

Supposed Flight of a Defaulter—City Improvement in San Francisco—Treasure—Heavy Rains.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 3.—JOHN C. HALLEY, Deputy Collector of Internal Revenue in Oakland, is supposed to have absconded by the last steamer to Panama. He is a defaulter to the Government in the sum of $1,000.

The report of the Montgomery-street Extension Commissioners will soon be published. The damages appraised aggregate $2,000,000.

The amount of treasure exported during the month of October was over $1,000,000.

The emigrant travel over the Pacific Railroads is rapidly increasing.

Heavy rain storms have occurred throughout Oregon.

Steamer *America* sailed for Hong Kong via Yokohama to-day, with $1,168,000 in treasure, of which $1,120,000 were for Hong Kong. She took 1,051 passengers, including 1,000 Chinese. She also took out 1,700 barrels flour. Tom Thumb and troupe are among the passengers.

The Western Pacific and San Francisco Bay Railroad Companies have consolidated under the name of the Western Pacific Railroad.

The Virginia City and Truckee Railroad is nearly completed. A locomotive appeared in sight at Gold Hill yesterday, which created much excitement among the people. Its whistle was responded to by the Yellow Jacket, Crown Point and other steam whistles.

The Governor of Oregon has appointed the 18th of November as Thanksgiving Day.

THE WEST.

The Remains of Ex-Governor Wickliffe in Kentucky—An Outrage by Regulators.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Nov. 4.—The remains of Ex-Governor CHARLES A. WICKLIFFE, of Kentucky, reached here this morning, and left at 3 o'clock this afternoon for Bardstown. In respect to his memory the Courts adjourned, and the members of the Bar passed the usual resolutions of regret and sympathy.

A letter from Southern Kentucky says:

"Last Saturday night a band of forty mounted 'regulators,' after stealing a number of horses, went to the residence of M. J. MADDOX, near Bestonville, and demanded that he and the negroes who work on his farm should surrender. To MADDOX replied by saying that with his two sons he would defend himself. At this the regulators commenced firing upon the house. After a long fight the band was dispersed, though they declared they would return and renew the attack."

EMANCIPATION.

Celebration of the Anniversary in Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, Md., Nov. 4.—The colored citizens of Baltimore and the State of Maryland are celebrating the anniversary of Emancipation with great enthusiasm. The procession is several miles in length, and is composed of a number of benevolent societies in full regalia, on horses and in carriages, trade associations on platform wagons and on foot, and the usual civic representations with banners, flags and appropriate devices, all preceded by full bands of music. Many persons are present from the District of Columbia, and quite a number from distant States. Along the line of the procession the sidewalks are crowded with whites and blacks, and perfect order prevails. Bishop WATMAN will deliver an address this afternoon, and the celebration will close to-night with a grand ball at Douglas Institute.

FIRES.

Fire Engine, Hose and Engine House Burned in New-Hampshire—Mills in Canada Destroyed.

CONCORD, N. H., Nov. 3.—The City of Nashua recently purchased a steam fire engine, and the location of the steamer caused some feeling between the different sections of the city. This morning the steamer's house was discovered on fire. The house, the engine, two hose carriages, with the hose, and a hook-and-ladder truck were totally destroyed. A cottage house, and barn adjoining, were seriously damaged. The loss to the city is reported at $10,000; insurance, $7,000.

BRANTFORD, Ontario, Nov. 4.—The woolen mill of JOSEPH ELLIS & Co., about a mile and a half from this place, was destroyed by fire last night. The cause of the fire is unknown. The loss is about $100,000, upon which there is an insurance of about $40,000.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 4.—The buildings of the Western Pacific Railroad, at Stockton, were destroyed by fire last night.

An Oil Warehouse in Pittsburg Destroyed.

PITTSBURG, Nov. 4.—The warehouse of the Citizens' Oil Refinery at Sharpsburg Bridge, near the city, was destroyed by fire, together with 630 barrels refined oil. The fire caught from the discharge from the stills. No other damage was done. Loss $15,000; fully insured in Eastern companies.

Navy Yard Retrenchment—Workmen Discharged at Boston—The Benefits.

BOSTON, Nov. 4.—Three hundred mechanics and laborers were discharged from the Charlestown Navy Yard yesterday. Nearly every department was reduced. The United States steamship *Benecia*, formerly *Algoma*, at the Portsmouth Navy Yard, is expected to leave for the East Indies on the last of November. Commander S. NICHOLSON is in command.

The Presbyterians—The Difficulty in the Chicago Theological Seminary Settled by Compromise.

CHICAGO, Nov. 4.—The Committee of the Presbyterian General Assembly, O. S., which has been in session for some time past investigating the affairs of the Theological Seminary, closed its labors last evening. The long-standing disagreement between Rev. Dr. LORD, Divinity Professor in the Northwestern Theological School, and G. N. McCONAHY, has been brought to an end by a compromise satisfactory to both parties. Last evening the result was arrived at. Dr. LORD remains in his present chair; Mr. McCONAHY is released from the payment of $16,000 claimed to be due to the school; and the three directors—Judge LONGNECKER CLARK and H. G. STOUFFER, of this city, and one other—who were elected during the quarrel, all of Mr. LORD's party,) shall, to make things harmonious, resign, and three others, acceptable to each party, are to take their places. To this all consented, the contracts signed the papers, and the strife ended.

Louisiana State Bonds—A Contradiction by Governor Warmoth.

NEW-ORLEANS, Nov. 4.—A report having been circulated that Governor WARMOUTH had issued $10,000,000 in bonds, of which there is no official record, the Governor publishes a statement that all the bonds issued have been duly accounted by the Treasurer, and concludes as follows:

"One thing is certain, and that is, that not a single bond of the State has been issued without authority of law during my administration, and the interest has been and will be promptly paid."

The Baptist Sunday School Convention at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 4.—The Baptist Sunday School Convention, now in session in this city, have adopted resolutions expressing an earnest desire for the colporteur of the entire American Baptist Brotherhood in the Sunday School work, urging the employment of State district Sunday School missionaries, and recommending the establishment of a weekly Baptist Sunday School teachers' paper to promote school interests.

A Dwelling and Two Children Burned in Massachusetts.

BOSTON, Nov. 4.—The dwelling of NATHAN DOWEY, in Harwich, Mass., was destroyed by fire last evening, and his only children, two little girls, aged 6 and 4 years, perished. The parents were visiting a neighbor.

Miscellaneous Telegrams.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Nov. 4.—The prize fighters are in trouble here. ALLEN and HACKER refuse to accept MURRAY, of St. Louis, as final stakeholder. BILL CARROLL came here last night for the purpose of selecting some one who would be satisfactory to both parties. McCOOLE insists upon MURRAY, and the difficulty threatens to break up the McCoole-Allen fight.

AUBURN, N. Y., Nov. 4.—SMITH TAYLOR, an old citizen, aged about 70 years, was run over and killed by a freight train yesterday afternoon.

POUGHKEEPSIE, Nov. 4.—At 9 o'clock this morning, FERRIS PEARSON was horribly scalded at the furnace in this city, while lying under an arch. The engineer, not knowing he was there, opened a blow-off cock. The flesh was literally stripped from him. He died at 4 o'clock this morning.

AUGUSTA, Ga., Nov. 4.—Agricultural fairs are in progress at Batonton and Rome. Ex-President JOHNSON, who was announced to deliver an address at Rome, will not be present.

UTICA, N. Y., Nov. 4.—JOHN H. PLATTEN, father of Alderman Platten, of the Fifth Ward, committed suicide by hanging himself last night. No cause is known. This is the third death by suicide in this city since Tuesday.

ROME, Ga., Nov. 4.—Two young men, APPERSON, of Rossaca, and CHARLES MORRISON, of Rome, were killed by falling from the pole for the balloon at the Fair.

MILWAUKEE, Nov. 4.—The Milwaukee Free Trade League held a meeting here to-night. The audience was good considering the condition of the weather.

PITTSBURG, Nov. 4.—A young man named ALGER was run over and cut in two by the cars of the Fort Wayne Road, in Allegheny City, last night.

LOUISVILLE, Nov. 4.—At Millerstown, Ky., a man named BUCKWORTH stabbed and killed a person named BLENKENSHIP. It is alleged to have been done in self-defence.

AQUATIC.

Boat Racing on Lake Quinsigamond, Worcester, Mass.—Contest for the State Championship—Victory of a Boston Boat.

From Our Special Correspondent.

WORCESTER, Mass., Thursday, Nov. 4, 1869.

Lake Quinsigamond, rendered famous by the yearly contests between the boatmen of Yale and Harvard, was to-day the scene of another race, interesting chiefly to sporting men. The crews of the *Neptune* boat of Boston and the *Stephen Salisbury, Jr.* boat, of Worcester, tried their muscle over a six-mile course for the championship and a stake of $600 a side. The boats are four-oar shells, and both men and boats have had previous experience in aquatic contests.

THE CREWS.

The *Neptune* boat was the one in which the WARD brothers have won several races, while one of the crew belonged to the famous St. John's boat that contested with the WARDS at Springfield, and another of the crew was formerly in the *George Kemble* boat. The *Salisbury, Jr.*, boat is the same that won the four-oar shell race of three miles on the City Regatta last July. The crew are also the same that contested at that time. They made the three miles in July in 19:38, only six seconds behind the time of the Harvard Freshman six-oar boat. The crew of the *Neptune* are all older men than their opponents, but they are not so large or heavy. Both crews are composed of hard-working men, with firm, fine muscles, the stroke oar of the *Salisbury* being pulled by a blacksmith, who had for his associates a brakeman on the Boston and Albany Railroad, an ironmoulder, and a stonecutter. The stroke of the *Neptune* is a butcher, of Brighton, and two of his associates are carpenters on the Eastern Railroad wharves at Boston, while the other is a ship carpenter. There was an attempt last night to sell pools on the race, but the backers of the Worcester crew either did not have much money or were afraid to venture any. In the few pools that were sold, the *Neptune* was the favorite by about five to three. It is understood that considerable money was bet on the result, but no odds were given either way.

THE RACE.

There was a large crowd at the lake to-day, but, of course, not as many as witnessed the July races. The weather was beautiful and quite mild for this season of the year, and the water was smooth as could be desired. The judges and referees were chosen during the forenoon, by the representatives of the two boats, and consisted as follows: At the upper stake, J. H. LOGAN, of Boston, and DANIEL DOWNEY, of Worcester; at the lower stake, JEREMIAH HORAN, of Boston, and J. CLARK, of Worcester. Referees, Captain GARDNER, Harbor Master, of Boston, and CHARLES R. PRATT, of Worcester. In case the referees could not agree all disputed questions were to be decided by FRANK QUINN, of the New-York *Clipper*.

The following shows the names and weight of the two crews:

NEPTUNE.

	Age.	Height.	Weight.
Andrew Cannore, stroke	28	5.8	158
Thomas McGonagon	23	5.9	152
Thomas McCauley	27	5.9	160
P. McGlinty, bow	26	5.7	154

STEPHEN SALISBURY, JR.

	Age.	Height.	Weight.
J. J. O'Leary, stroke	24	5.11½	170
Thomas Leary	23	5.11½	170
J. J. Fitzgerald	24	5.8½	160
Cornelius Broderick, bow	24	5.8½	160

The course rowed was a mile and a half long, and the boats passed over it four times. The toss for position was won by the *Neptune*, and they chose the outside. The word was given at 3:30, and a fine, even start was made, the *Neptune* crew taking a stroke that put them a little ahead. On the return, at the end of the first three miles, the lead crews was full two lengths ahead, and the time was 19:38, and gained a little by making a better turn than her adversaries. She then quietly came home, and touched the line five lengths ahead of the *Salisbury, Jr.* Her time was 37:00.

In the proposed race for to-morrow, between the Union Club, of this city, and the Neptune Club, the latter paid forfeit to-night, and consequently the race will not take place. They thought it would not pay to stay here another day for the sake of a probable prize of $300.

The Commissioners of Emigration have just completed a fine new manger room at Castle Garden, 84 feet 6 inches in length, by 30 feet 6 inches in depth, and 14 feet 6 inches in height, 10,000 pieces of furniture. During the Fall and Summer months about 1,000 pieces of baggage pass through the Garden every day.

GEORGE PEABODY.

Death of the Great Philanthropist—His Last Illness Passed in London—His Character and Reputation.

LONDON, Nov. 4—Midnight.—The great philanthropist, whose name is familiar on both sides of the Atlantic, is dead. He expired at his residence in Eaton-square, this city, at 12:30 o'clock to-night. He had returned to London only a short time ago from the South of France, where he had gone in the hopes of regaining his health. The news of his death is received here with profound regret.

SKETCH OF HIS LIFE.

The progenitor of the PEABODY family in America was FRANCIS PEABODY, who was born at St. Albans, Hertfordshire, England, in 1614, and came to this country, and settled in the northwestern part of Massachusetts in 1635. He left six sons, from the oldest of whom was descended, in the fourth generation, THOMAS PEABODY, father of the illustrious banker and great philanthropist, whom the world mourns to-day.

GEORGE PEABODY was born in the town of Danvers, Mass., on the 18th of February, 1795. His parents were in very narrow circumstances, and his only opportunities for education were those afforded by the district schools of his native town. Even these he was permitted to enjoy only while a mere child, for at the age of 11 years he began the experience of practical life as a clerk in a grocery store in Danvers. After four years of this kind of life, he spent a year with his grandfather in Thetford, Vt., and then went to Newburyport to act as a clerk for his brother in the dry goods business, but the "great fire of Newburyport" soon put an end to his brother's business, as well as that of an uncle who had carried on an extensive trade at that place. The uncle removed to Georgetown, D. C., and took young GEORGE with him. There they started anew in business, all transactions being conducted in the name of the nephew on account of the financial embarrassments of the uncle, arising out of his losses at Newburyport.

Fearing that his position here might make him responsible for debts which he had not incurred, he at length withdrew from the firm, and made an arrangement with Mr. ELISHA RIGGS to engage with him in the dry goods trade. Mr. RIGGS furnished the capital, and Mr. PEABODY, though at that time only 19 years of age, took entire charge of the business. The following year—1815—the house was removed to Baltimore, where it was conducted with such success that in 1822 branches were established in New-York and Philadelphia. In 1829 Mr. RIGGS retired from the firm, and Mr. PEABODY became the senior partner. He made several trips to Europe on business, and on more than one occasion was intrusted by the State of Maryland with important financial negotiations, which were concluded with marked success in every instance. In fact his skill in conducting these negotiations, and the confidence inspired by his personal integrity, went far toward reinstatement of the wavering credit of his adopted State. He refused all compensation for these services, but the General Assembly expressed in public resolutions the obligations of the State to him "for his generous devotion to the interests and honor of Maryland," and the Governor wrote him a letter containing earnest assurances of the gratitude of the people.

In 1837, Mr. PEABODY took up his residence in London, where he continued to conduct the business of PEABODY, RIGGS & Co., as the European representative of the firm. In 1843, however, he dissolved his connection with that house, and established himself as a merchant and banker in London, and his banking house became the centre of the American interest in that metropolis; as he himself has said: "An American house—a centre for American news—and an agreeable place for his American friends visiting London." His interest in American affairs was ever alive, and at a time when the credit of the country was suffering severely from the failure of some of the States to meet their obligations and a general derangement of the national finances, he embarked his capital liberally in American securities, and did much by his personal integrity and upright dealing to restore confidence in the good faith of our Government.

At the time of the great International Exhibition in London, in 1851, the American Department seemed likely to make a very sorry show on account of the failure of Congress to make any appropriation for its proper management. At this juncture Mr. PEABODY came forward and furnished the necessary funds to enable his countrymen to appear with dignity and credit among the nations represented at the Crystal Palace.

Another instance of his generous public spirit occurred in the following year, when he enabled Dr. KANE to carry out his design of making an expedition into the Arctic Seas in search of Sir JOHN FRANKLIN. Mr. HENRY GRINNELL had furnished a vessel for the purpose, and it was expected that Congress would appropriate money for the expenses of the voyage; but this it failed to do, and Mr. PEABODY again came to the rescue, and placed $10,000 at the disposal of the managers of the expedition, which enabled them to carry out this important enterprise.

On the 16th day of June, 1852, the town of Danvers celebrated her two hundredth birthday, and invited home her absent sons to join in the festivities. Mr. PEABODY could not be present, but sent a substantial token of his regard in the form of a gift of $20,000, to establish an institute and library for the people of his native town. Liberal additions were afterward made to this fund, and the Peabody Institute has now an endowment of $200,000. The town of South Danvers, where the Institute is located, has received the name of Peabody by legislative enactment.

In 1857, after an absence of twenty years, Mr. PEABODY revisited his native land, and was everywhere greeted with demonstrations of respect. All invitations to public receptions were, however, declined, except that of his native town of Danvers, where he was received with unbounded enthusiasm by the people, and welcomed home by EDWARD EVERETT, as their eloquent spokesman. Before his return to England he carried out a long-cherished design of founding an institute in the city where he had achieved his early success in business, and gave $250,000 for the purpose, which he placed in the hands of trustees in the City of Baltimore. This sum has been since increased to $1,050,000 and an institute founded which is to furnish a free library, courses of lectures, an academy of music, gallery of art and accommodations for the Maryland Historical Society.

Having thus endowed his native town and the city in which he had spent twenty years of his early business life, Mr. PEABODY bethought him how he could best discharge a similar duty toward the great capital which he had adopted for the home of his manhood. "From a comparatively early period of my commercial life," he said in 1862, "I had resolved in my own mind that, should my labors be blessed with success, I would devote a portion of the property thus acquired to promote the intellectual, moral and physical welfare and comfort of my fellow-men, wherever, from circumstances or location, their claims upon me would be strongest;" and he now made a liberal contribution to the welfare of his fellow-men in the City of London, where he had acquired a large portion of his wealth. Hon. CHARLES FRANCIS ADAMS, Lord STANLEY, Sir J. EMERSON TENNENT, Mr. CURTIS M. LAMPSON and Mr. JUNIUS S. MORGAN were named as trustees, in whose hands he placed the sum of $150,000, to be used, as he said, "in ameliorate the condition of the poor and needy of this great metropolis." The only conditions imposed on the trustees of this fund were that it should be strictly for the benefit of the poor of London, and kept free from sectarian or partisan control or management. No restrictions were placed upon the method in which it should be applied for the relief of the poor and the amelioration of their condition, but the donor suggested that a portion, at least, of the fund should be used for "the construction of such improved dwellings for the poor as may combine, in the utmost possible degree, the essentials of healthfulness, comfort, social enjoyment and economy." This wish has been strictly observed by the gentlemen who have had the control of this fund, and already several fine squares, in differing parts of London, have been built up with dwellings for the poor, combining the essentials mentioned in Mr. PEABODY's letter.

GENEROSITY HIS LIFE.

In 1866 Mr. PEABODY contemplated another visit to his native land, and before leaving England added another $150,000 to his munificent gift to the poor of London. He received the most gratifying acknowledgments of his generosity from numerous public bodies, but steadily refused any public demonstration of regard from the people or the authorities of the City of London. It was even proposed to confer upon him a Baronetcy, Grand Cross, or Order of the Bath, but he at once made known his unwillingness to receive any such compliment, and when pressed to mention what token of gratitude he would accept, said: "A letter from the Queen of England, which I may carry across the Atlantic, and deposit as a memorial of one of her most faithful sons." Before his departure, Queen VICTORIA sent him an autograph letter, expressing her appreciation of his "more than princely munificence," and desiring him to accept a miniature portrait of herself as a further "assurance of her personal feelings." This portrait was painted on ivory and framed in gold and gems, and bears the inscription, furnished by the Queen herself, "Presented by the Queen to GEORGE PEABODY, Esq., the benefactor of the poor of London." It has been deposited, with the Queen's letter, in the Peabody Institute at Danvers.

Notwithstanding his "more than princely munificence" to the poor of London, his greatest benefactions were still reserved for his own country, and during his visit in 1866 he scattered his gifts with a lavish hand. He gave $25,000 to the Phillips Academy, at Andover; $15,000 to the Newburyport Library; $100,000 to build a church as a monument to the memory of his mother, in Georgetown, Mass.; $16,000 to a library in the same town; $140,000 to the Essex Institute at Salem; $5,000 to the library at Thetford, Vt.; where he spent the year with his grandfather when a boy; $20,000 to the Massachusetts Historical Society; $150,000 to found a Professorship and Museum of American Archæology at Cambridge; the same sum for a similar purpose in Yale College; the last $600,000 of the fund already mentioned for the Peabody Institute at Baltimore; $20,000 to the Maryland Historical Society; $25,000 to the Kenyon College, Ohio; and $15,000 for a library at Georgetown, D. C.; besides the crowning donation of $1,000,000 to build up the cause of education in the South. This last fund was placed in the hands of trustees of the highest character for integrity and zealous interest in the cause of education, and was to be applied to assist schools and to promote the education of the people, without distinction of race or color, in the Southern States. An appropriate acknowledgment of this last generous gift was made by the Government of the United States. A costly and elegant gold medal was presented to him in pursuance of an act of Congress, bearing on one side a fine profile portrait of the recipient, and on the other the inscription:

"The People of the United States to GEORGE PEABODY, in appreciation of his beneficent promotion of universal education."

Having remained in this country long enough to see that all his beneficent purposes were likely to be carried out in the fullest manner, and to receive ample assurances of the grateful regard, not to say devoted affection of his fellow-countrymen, Mr. PEABODY again returned to England, and while there added yet another $100,000 to his gift for the benefit of the London poor. His health now failing, and the consciousness growing upon him that if he would once more visit his native land, it should be done immediately, he set sail for America in the Spring of 1869. Arrived in this country he made visits to several prominent cities, and finally retired to the quiet home of his nephew in Danvers. But not yet could his generosity rest, and during this Summer he added $1,250,000 to the Southern Educational Fund, made a liberal donation to the Washington University, in Virginia, and numerous generous gifts to his relatives and friends. As he passed around among the people, now bowed with the weight of years and enfeebled by disease, he never failed to receive tokens of gratitude and testimonials of heartfelt veneration.

In England, too, there seemed to be a rivalry among all classes to do honor to their great benefactor. A subscription had been headed by the Prince of WALES in 1867 for a statue of Mr. PEABODY, to occupy a conspicuous position near the Royal Exchange, in London, "as a testimony of the deep feeling and gratitude entertained by the English people for his munificent donations for the benefit of the London poor." The statue was completed in bronze by the American sculptor, W. W. STORY, and, during Mr. PEABODY's absence from England in the Summer of 1869, was dedicated with becoming ceremonies, the Prince of WALES presiding on the occasion, and Mr. MOTLEY, the American Minister, delivering an appropriate address.

Mr. PEABODY never married, but had constantly showed a strong attachment for the members of his own family, distributing among them at various times gifts amounting in all to $1,400,000.

The Railroad War in Sacramento.

From the Sacramento (Cal.) Union, Oct. 21.

Yesterday the petition of the California Pacific Railroad Company (Valley Railroad) for the acquisition of certain lands in this city, and the right to cross the tracks of the Central Pacific Railroad Company, came up for hearing in the Sixth District Court, on the question of granting the prayer of petitioner for the immediate possession and use of the premises mentioned in the petition. GEORGE CADWALADER appeared as counsel for the California Pacific, and ROBERT ROBINSON for the Central Pacific Company. A large amount of evidence was introduced. The case was argued at length on both sides, and considerable feeling was manifested. During the examination one Wiseman testified that the Superintendent of the Central Pacific Railroad Company told him that the Company would cook $50,000 to prevent the Valley Road from coming into Sacramento City below the Sacramento and Yolo Bridge. After the argument of counsel, the case, being submitted, the Court granted the prayer of the petitioner, and ordered that the California Pacific Railroad Company have the right to the immediate possession and use of that portion of the land prayed for, commencing at the wharf line south of the Sacramento and Yolo Bridge, and extending to Fourth and H streets, including the crossings of all the tracks of the Central Pacific Railroad Company, upon executing a bond in the sum of $15,000 conditioned for the payment of such compensation as may be awarded them by the Commissioners to be hereafter appointed.

The Stonewall Mortar—The Steamboat Law Violated.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

The United States law relating to steamboats requires a steamer like the *Stonewall* to have at least three good metallic lifeboats, besides life-preserving apparatus. The penalties for not complying with the law are very heavy, besides which the Government has appointed a large number of Inspectors at good salaries to see that it is complied with, and who are subject to heavy penalties for not doing their duty. Now in all cases not a single lifeboat was on board. Will you please call Secretary GRESHAM's attention to this matter? It is certainly to a marked degree a violation of the public, more so, when the *Stonewall* is the question. How many lives, strangers and, perhaps, like the *Sunbeam*, ready to swallow up in the great Atlantic, I know not.

JOHN JOHNSTON.

NEW-YORK, Saturday, Oct. 30, 1869.

WASHINGTON.

The Mississippi Investigation Fund Exhausted—Financial Embarrassment and Gloom—The Sandwich Bites in Tennessee—City Mail Delivery—The President's Message—Cash Vouchers' Tax—Mallakoff and Lemon.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 4.—Hon. JOHN CHURCHILL, Chairman of the Sub-Election Committee charged with the investigation of the South Carolina cases, arrived here last night, and the Committee will meet to-morrow to determine whether, under the circumstances, they are obliged to comply with the order of the House. The circumstances are, that the contingent exchequer of the House is totally exhausted, and unless the Sergeant-at-Arms will take the responsibility of advancing the necessary funds, the investigation will probably not be made. The Committee declines to do as the Louisiana Committee did—issue vouchers to be hawked about at half price, and they will be glad to give to the House so good a reason for not obeying the mandate. There is a strong feeling against the excessive amount of investigations in election cases made hitherto, and it is exceedingly probable that when the expenses of some of these cases is shown up in the House a reform in the matter will speedily follow. The cost of the Louisiana investigation will, it is said, exceed $20,000.

THE SAN DOMINGO PURCHASE.

The statement telegraphed from this city within a day or two, to the effect that the Government has received important State papers from General BABCOCK, said to be now in St. Domingo as the United States Commissioner for the purchase of that island, loses its essential ingredient of truth, when it is known that General BABCOCK is now in this city, and has not been in St. Domingo for more than two months. The reported intention of certain members of Congress to make an excursion to that island is a very old story revived, but still with little or no foundation.

THE TENNESSEE SENATORSHIP.

The proposition to legislate the newly elected Senator from Tennessee out of his seat, originated in the provision of the State Constitution which prohibits any member of the Legislature from holding, during his term, any other office created by that body or by the Constitution. It does not apply to United States officers, and has been so held repeatedly in that State, yet quite a minority of the Tennessee Bourbons thought to apply it to Mr. COOPER.

LETTER CARRIERS.

Postmaster JONES, of New-York; Postmaster BINGHAM, of Philadelphia, and Postmaster DENNISON, of Baltimore, have been invited to this city by the Postmaster-General, for the purpose of consultation upon the matter of increasing the efficiency of the carrier-delivery system. They were in conference for several hours this afternoon, and the several gentlemen gave their views at some length on the subject. The Postmaster-General is of the opinion that the greater portion of the mail matter in large cities can be delivered by carriers more cheaply and more promptly than by the letter-box system.

THE MESSAGE AND DOCUMENTS.

It is exceedingly probable that the President, the Secretary of the Treasury and, possibly, some of the other Department heads, will return to the old practice of submitting the message and reports to Congress in writing. So much risk of premature disclosure and publication is involved in committing these matters to print, and the shameful business of buying and bribing subordinates by newspaper editors in the rivalry of competition, has so often been witnessed that nearly every one here will be glad to see a method pursued which makes it practically impossible to violate confidence.

THE TAX ON PORK PACKERS.

The following is the reply of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue to the delegation of pork packers and provision dealers which has been in consultation with him for several days past:

WASHINGTON, Nov. 4, 1869.

GENTLEMEN: I have received your communication of this date asking me to reconsider my decision of the 6th of June last, contained in a letter to Assessor JOHN CONNELL, of the Fourth Iowa, that persons engaged in the business of packing pork, or rendering and packing lard for sale, should be required to pay a special tax as manufacturers, and to return their sales in excess of $5,000 quarterly, and pay the tax of $1 per thousand on such excess. I have to say in response that I have very fully considered the matter and am well satisfied that the decision referred to is correct. The taxes in accordance therewith will continue to be assessed, but in view of the statements made by you in behalf of the Board of Trade and Commerce, the provision dealers of New-York, the Provision Exchange of Boston, and the pork packers of Louisville, whom you represent, I am inclined to direct Collectors to suspend collection of the tax until the 1st day of January next, which will afford the desired opportunity of applying to Congress for its legislative action on the subject. This is not to be understood as referring to cases other than those expressly described in the decision of the 6th of June last. As to the other cases, which may by some be deemed to be analogous, I do not desire to express any opinion until the question in such cases is officially presented.

Respectfully yours,

C. DELANO, Commissioner.

THE PARAGUAYAN INVESTIGATION.

Mr. OTTE convened the House Sub-Committee on Foreign Affairs here to-day, for the purpose of beginning the examination of Ex-Minister McMAHON on Paraguayan affairs. The have preliminaries only were touched on, and no evidence of an important character was taken. General McMAHON said that he declined to hold any official intercourse with LOPEZ, or to present his credentials, until MASTERMAN was released. The Committee will meet again next week to examine Mr. WORTHINGTON, Minister to the Argentine Republic, and General WEBB. General McMAHON left for New-York this afternoon.

MEXICAN FINANCES.

Mr. ROMERO has sent official copies of the Mexican finance report here, which gives a very full exhibit of the pecuniary condition of that country. It is adroitly compiled, but the picture is not as flattering as it might be.

A SOCIAL EVENT.

Miss HELEN M. BROWN, a daughter of Mr. S. P. BROWN, a well-known citizen of this city, was married here this afternoon to Mr. ELIAS THOMAS, of Portland, Me. The affair was celebrated with very great éclat. Among those who witnessed the ceremonies were General and Mrs. F. P. DERBY, General and Mrs. EATON, General and Mrs. HIRAM WALBRIDGE, of New-York, Mrs. LOUIS DERBY, and a large number of other ladies and gentlemen prominent in Washington society.

Dispatches to the Associated Press.

NAVY.

The following officers have been ordered to the *Sacatoga*: Lieutenant Commander W. H. Whiting, Lieutenant R. Longnecker, Master Daniel W. Davis, Ensigns N. E. Barnes and William H. Beehler, Passed Assistant Surgeon Thomas H. Penrose and Passed Assistant Paymaster Henry T. Standing. Passed Assistant Paymaster A. T. Stemmill is ordered to duty in the Bureau of Provisions and Clothing at Washington. Paymaster J. O. Bradford is ordered to duty at Mare Island Navy Yard.

APPOINTMENTS.

The following Assessors of Internal Revenue have been appointed: D. B. Wurts, for the Fourth District of Virginia, and Gaines W. Ross, for the Second District of Tennessee.

INTERNAL REVENUE MATTERS.

Supervisor Pugsley, of the Maryland District, has been assigned to duty in California, where he will make a thorough investigation into Internal Revenue affairs in that State.

(Signed) GUTHRIE. (Signed) DELANO.

Accompanied by Commissioner DELANO to accompany Supervisor FULTON. In the absence of Supervisor FULTON, Supervisor HARRISON, of New-Jersey, will be in charge of the former's district.

Supervisor O'DONNELL, of New-York, is here, receiving instructions preparatory to commencing official duties in Northern New-York.

SUPREME COURT.

In the Supreme Court to-day was argued the case of the United States vs. GEORGE W. LAIRD, appeal from the Court of Claims. It involves the

CUBAN AFFAIRS.

ARRIVAL OF THE EUTERPE AND COLUMBIA.

The steamships *Eutorpe* and *Columbia*, the former from Havana Oct. 27, and the latter from the same port Oct. 30, arrived here yesterday. The purserS of both vessels are once more entitled to thanks for the prompt delivery of our correspondence and files.

Condition of the Island—Dwelling Hopes of the Spaniards—Freedom of Worship—The Proclamation Denounced—Views of Don Rodas—Apprehensions in Colonia.

From Our Own Correspondent.

HAVANA, Saturday, Oct. 30, 1869.

Are the Spaniards correct in claiming an early finale for the revolution inaugurated at Yara, or is this merely a lull before the storm? The Spanish element is more sanguine of success than at any time within the past ten months; not only the authorities, but also the public at large are confident of an early termination of the war. The cause of this peculiar confidence arises principally from the attitude taken by the United States Government on the Cuban question, the seizure of the *Hornet*, and the latter's unlanded cargo of the *Lilian*, have produced a hundredfold greater effect than any which might be caused by the winning of an extraordinary bloody Cuban battle—that is to say, a battle in which, according to the parody on Don Quixote, the Moors, about four soldiers were killed. The news from the seat of war, if that peculiar locality, wherever it may be, should it at any time receive a name, has, however, also exercised a certain influence. The insurrection in the Cinco Villas presents no longer any alarming proportions, the Cuban forces amounting at the utmost to 1,500 men, of which number but few are natives of foreign countries. The bulk of the insurgents remains at Guáimaro, and from Sancti Espiritu toward Cape Maisi and St. Jago de Cuba. But there are other causes which give rise to this confidence, and which are self-evident proofs that the Cubans are not making much headway of late. They have failed to extend their field of operations, and it is an undeniable fact that insurgents in small bodies, and singly, are presenting themselves daily to the Spanish commanders in the field soliciting pardon. The number of these Cubans is not very large, yet sufficiently so to produce a moral effect, and pave the way for others to follow. If the financial status of a country, or the value of shares and stocks, be taken as a criterion, the theory of the Spaniards that the rebellion is decreasing receives another accession. Business is more brisk, country and retail merchants in the cities are liquidating their indebtedness to the importers, paying cash for new purchases; while the shares of the Spanish Bank, which in June and July could be purchased at par, and even at one or two per cent. discount, are held and sold at from fifteen to eighteen per cent premium. The shares of other institutions have also increased in value during the past four months, and holders are not very anxious to part with them, as they all expect to sell them at a much higher rate than at present, or else retain them as an investment. Last of all is the manner the Cubans themselves—that is to say that portion belonging to the republican faction and opposed to Spain and Spaniards—have of expressing their opinion regarding the probable exit of the war. They consider the "game up," and think that the back bone of the revolution is broken; that the Cuban forces will not be able to withstand the Spanish army unless the United States should recognize them as belligerents and enable their to introduce arms and men. The action of Congress and the Senate, on its assembling, is anxiously looked for, and if they will not recognize the Cubans, it would be an act of humanity and charity to interpose its influence on behalf of the defeated Cubans, not so much against the general government of the island as against the lawlessness and brutality of the lower classes, who don the uniform of the famous, and, in some cases, infamous volunteers.

ASSASSINATION.

The news of the Colon assassination is confirmed. The Chapelgorris were commanded by the Administrator of JULIAN ZULUETA's plantation, a man who has been instrumental in sending many a Cuban (and among them some who were innocent) to their last home. The Captain-General has removed the Governor of Colon and Mr. ZULUETA insists that his Administrator and all persons concerned in this cowardly and contemptible assassination should be tried. It now remains to be seen whether RODAS has the power to bring these bloodthirsty brutes to justice, or whether the power of the Chapelgorris is such as to defeat the ends of justice, reason and humanity. The Chapelgorris claim that they were only eight in number to guard the immense number of nine prisoners tied together by cords; that five of this number escaped into the bush, and that in self-defence they were compelled to kill the four who did not run away in order to enable them to pursue the five others, whom they caught and shot. This escape story is an old and favorite one with Spaniards, and hundreds have been shot through the back after receiving a friendly pat on the shoulder from the commanding officer, and the assurance that he might go in peace, or as the Spanish phrase has it, *Vaya usted con Dios amigo*. Go with God, my friend, on which particular road they send him with lightning speed, through the agency of a Minie ball.

RODAS' OPINIONS.

General RODAS continues his humane policy and does his best to conciliate the people, an endeavor in which he succeeds only partially. He expresses the opinion that the revolution is on its last legs and cannot last much longer, owing to the continual and weakening decrease in numbers, to the private quarrels among the insurgents and to the great increase of Spaniards. His opinions are confirmed by the Havana Press and letters from the interior. On Friday, the General pardoned Mr. MACDERMOT, an American, who had been sentenced to death for alleged complicity with the rebels.

RELIGIOUS LIBERTY.

The great event of the day, although expected for some time, has been the promulgation of the decree establishing religious liberty in the islands of Cuba and Porto Rico. General RODAS turned a deaf ear to the threats and entreaties of the priesthood and to the whining of the *Prensa*. Convinced that sooner or later, that is to say within a period of a few months, the privilege of worshiping God without the accompaniments of bell, incense and candle, would be demanded of him and the Government he represents, he took time by the forelock and promulgated the decree voluntarily, without awaiting the epoch when such a concession would no longer appear as the enlightened idea of a nation struggling to escape from the thraldom in which it had been plunged by an ignorant, arrogant and superstitious priesthood, but as a bribe thrown to the discontented masses to keep them from revolutionizing. The question naturally arises, what benefit may and can be derived from the concession just granted, and whether the non-Catholics will embrace the opportunity of establishing Protestant or other churches, or the Jews that of erecting a synagogue or temple. The number of Protestants in the island may be arrived at when we take the number of Americans and Germans into consideration—about 1,500 in all—of whom about 150 are likely to attend divine service. The remainder belong to the Cuban religion, which is professed by nineteen-twentieths of the Cubans, Spaniards and other foreigners in the island; also by the negroes, excepting some few in the cities, and by 60,000 Chinese. This Cuban religion consists simply in being baptised by some Catholic priest, and growing up a scoffer at everything divine—in fact a thorough Atheist. Any stranger, visiting a church in Havana, (except on Good Friday,) will rarely meet more than from fifty to 200 or 300 persons in the largest place of worship; as, for instance, the Cathedral. The assemblage is composed principally of decrepit old ladies, old maids whose spring of life has passed, a large number of aged persons of color, and a few recently arrived Spaniards, fresh from their home, where habit, alone, if nothing else, compels people to go to church; as is specified besides with Government officials of the lower class, who expect to advance their interests by enjoying the aid of the priesthood. In other ways the *Autonomo* decree of the people are very strongly developed; nearly every house has its wooden image of some patron saint, or one of the many virgins, either universal or peculiar to this island. Pictures of saints are found in every dwelling, and if any prayers are offered, they must of necessity go through the medium of the particular saint whose benign countenance beams forth from the gilded frame in all the glory of the brightest yellow, blue, green and red. Often these saints, when considered derelict of their duty as guardians of the family, are unceremoniously removed and replaced by some other, who has been very generous to some neighbor's family. Your correspondent once saw an old lady friend in high dudgeon with her favorite St. Francis under her arm, in the act of giving him away to a poor negro woman, remarking that she paid just best half a dollar; that she had burned a taper in his honor daily for the past twelve months; that she had said hundreds of ave and paternosters before him, and that she only expressed the wish of winning over the small prize in the lottery; this half-a-dollar saint had shifted insult to be added to injury in his case, as her neighbor, who owned only a St. Raphael with his face damaged, had just won one. So now the world no longer have the scurvy fellow in this house. But let the religious element and inclination be of whatever nature imaginable, it will be altogether impossible to spread or exercise any other religion than the Roman Catholic at present, and even then the rites must be administered by Spaniards. The Government would not interfere, but the lower classes, especially such as are considered the scum and disgrace of the volunteer forces, would.

The text of the promulgated decree runs as follows:

DECREE OF THE KINGDOM.

The most sacred right of those who form the human family, and dignity of religion unanimously exacted by the different Justice, has at last found its legitimate sanction in the democratical Constitution of Spain, which plainly says that the State could not penetrate into the innermost of the spirit or impede manifestations which are foreign to it. The natural sphere of religion and politics thus separated, the people will no longer fear a strange power which would dictate perhaps useful laws, but such as carry with them the denial of religion which they pretend to aid, thus leading us to believe tacitly that said religion has really no reason to exist. Spain, on the other hand, cannot remain separated from the general movement in Europe and the world. It would be useless and unwise to sustain artificially as a universal belief that which would be unacceptable to the intelligence of all Spaniards. These facts are of still more importance when applied to the inhabitants of the Spanish Antilles. Close to a continent where freedom of religion is established in a powerful Republic, whose very liberal constitution is only resembled by that which in Europe is enjoyed by the Spaniards, the necessities of emigrants to populate its fertile but abandoned soil, its island position in contact with all nations, it would be unjust to refuse the foreigners, whose intelligence, labor and capital contribute to its envied prosperity, the right of manifesting their belief.

The document continues in the same strain, and ends with the following laws:

ARTICLE I. All inhabitants of the Spanish Antilles are guaranteed the free exercise in public and private of the religion they profess, without other limitation than the universal rules of morality and right.

ART. II. The obtaining and holding of all public offices, as also the acquisition and exercise of civil and political rights are independent of religious belief.

ART. III. The Government will, in due time, inform the Cortes of this decree.

Signed by SERRANO and BEVANO.

QUASIMODO.

CONTINENTAL TOPICS.

French Newspaper Attacks on Prince Napoleon—An Indiscreet Journalist—Programme of the Left—Ministerial Complications in Italy—The Spanish Insurrection—Espousle in Constantinople—The Beaumont and Metternich Duel.

From Our Own Correspondent.

PARIS, Saturday, Oct. 22, 1869.

The statements which I made in some of my recent letters concerning the intentions of the Emperor in regard to Prince NAPOLEON would seem to be confirmed by the ferocity of the onslaughts made upon the Prince by the journal of M. DE CASSAGNAC. There can be no explainable motive for such outrageous abuse save the apprehension that his Highness is about to be assigned the position to which his great political experience and the liberality of his views entitle him. The second of these philippics is curious as coming from a declared partisan of the hereditary principle.

"We must come," it says, "to some understanding on the hereditary question, for as the hereditary principle is not materially possible, is not even moral, except on the condition that those who profit by it are not displeasing to the country which they may be called upon to govern. A fool like CHARLES VI.; an enervated Prince like LOUIS XIII., can no longer, in our time, succeed to Cæsars or Antonines without the whole of France rising to put them in their proper places—the one in an asylum, and the other in a maison de santé. Hereditary succession is a contract passed between a country and a family. The country gives its fortune to be managed and its blood to be defended, and the family promises honesty, courage and intelligence. We are no longer at the epoch when France was the property of a race, its farmhouse, its inheritance. One does not inherit simply because the other is dead. France must ratify the hereditary succession by universal suffrage proclaiming the reigning family by acclamation." This is what tranquillizes us on the subject of Prince NAPOLEON and the chance that he may have of seating himself on the throne under the name of NAPOLEON IV. Let him present himself before the French people and submit himself. The army would be the last ends of their muskets in the air in sign of Conception. The clergy would close their churches in token of mourning. And we others, (Bonapartists from the beginning,) would resolutely throw ourselves in the way to oppose it."

The attack by which the above was prepared was made in connection with the funeral of M. SAINTE-BEUVE. It was written in the anticipation that the Prince would be present at it, which it so happened he was not. The deceased critic, it should be stated, left a strict provision in his will that his body should not be carried to the church, and that no religious or other ceremonies should be performed over him. It was this direction which furnished the pretext for M. CASSAGNAC's first diatribe against the Prince, than which nothing lower or more contemptible has ever been penned by a journalist. I shall just give you a short extract from it by way of specimen:

"Every one knows that the Prince formed one of seven or eight *bière sangsues* (free-eaters) who, every Good Friday, used to go to SAINTE-BEUVE's house to sing sausages as the head of Christ and to strew the Golgotha with their chicken bones. It was, therefore, imperative on him to proceed to the end, and to render the last devoirs to the Amphytrion of these philosophical love feasts."

When these articles were brought to the notice of the Emperor he became greatly incensed, and an intimation was conveyed to M. DE CASSAGNAC that they had occasioned him the most serious displeasure. Not satisfied with this, His Majesty penned with his own hand the following note, which appears in the official journal this morning:

"The Government has seen with profound regret the violent attacks directed by the journal *Le Pays* against a Prince of the Imperial family."

Six months ago M. DE CASSAGNAC would have been petted on the back for these disgraceful assaults upon the Prince, but times have changed and people with them. Prince NAPOLEON is to-day a power behind the throne, and he can no longer be snubbed or attacked with impunity.

PROGRAMME OF THE GAUCHE.

Although the manifesto of the Republican Opposition which formed the ostensible motive for their being called together, has been launched, the Deputies composing it continue in permanent session for the purpose of deciding upon their plan of action when the Legislative body meets. The following points of their programme have, I understand, been already agreed upon: 1. *A projet de loi*, according to the Corps Législatif, the right of constituting at a fixed date without a decree of convocation being required. 2. Abolition of the preliminary oath. 3. Responsibility of all functionaries comprising the Chief of the State. 4. Reservation of the right of deciding the question of peace and war to the Legislative Body exclusively. You will see from the above that we are likely to have a lively time when the Legislative Session opens.

MINISTERIAL COMPLICATIONS IN ITALY.

M. RATTAZZI has been suddenly telegraphed for from Florence, and leave Turin immediately. Impressions that the Ministerial Ministry is on the eve of dissolution. M. Pasquale, the Minister of the Interior, having resigned, after refusing to countersign a royal decree dissolving the Chamber of Deputies. It seems that the decree was to have been accompanied by a proclamation from the King, asking the Chamber to send to the Parliament a more tractable and sufficiently devoted to unity and to the dynasty to enable the Crown to govern with firmness, and to preserving to the nation the liberties guaranteed by the Constitution. In the event of the non-success of this appeal, it is the general impression that a *coup d'état* was contemplated. These projects are efforts of reaction against the liberal and pacific programme of the political organization called *la Perseveranza*. In the cities to which things have arrived, there are only two parties, which can pretend to power, the *Perseveranza*, of which M. FORNA DI SAN MARTINO, and the Left, with MM. RATAZZI and CAIROLI.

"These two parties," says M. DE PERDY, in an able article on the subject, "are equally repugnant to the Crown, which prefers to recommence the Parliamentary history of twenty years past rather than which believes that it will find its salvation in a fresh proclamation of MONTALEMBERT. It is no longer to Piedmont that the King will address himself on the occasion, but to the whole of Italy, to the Italy where six fallen dynasties still maintain intrigues and partisans, where religious divisions follow in the wake of political hatreds, where Mazzini and GARIBALDI are more perfect than the King, and where republican ideas are daily making fresh progress. If this solemn appeal of the King leads as everything induces us to believe, to the election of a Chamber still more hostile to the Government than that which is about to be dissolved, the *coup d'état* imposed itself on the Ministry and on the Crown as the extreme resort, as the inexorable logic of the situation. What will be, what can be a *coup d'état* in Italy with its ten capitals? We are unable to say, but let the Government beware of the mediæval soldier when the winds of Africa are consuming on the soil of Caprera. There is in the veins of GARIBALDI the blood of those obscure Italiots who replied to FORNERIS, the protector of the Turquins: 'We are resolved to risk everything to preserve our liberty; we will treat rather with our enemies than with our tyrants.'"

THE SPANISH INSURRECTION.

The surrender of the insurgents at Valencia puts an end for the present to the chances of the Republican Party in Spain. All the chiefs of the movement are either in prison or across the border. It is to be hoped that the Government, as it has proved itself strong, will show itself merciful. The shedding of blood on the scaffold will not cure the wounds of the unhappy country which the insurgents in their patriotic aspirations sought to redress.

THE FRENCH EMPRESS AT CONSTANTINOPLE.

The noble will keep you posted regarding the movements of the Empress, through the agency of the Associated Press. The letter-writers will fill up the details for you from the various places which she visits. There are two facts, however, which have reached us here which have excited a good deal of surprise and gratification; one is the visit of the Sultana VALIDA to Her Majesty, an event without precedent in the traditions and usages of the Turkish Empire, and the other the spectacle of the Empress proceeding to the Armenian Catholic Church through streets lined with Turkish soldiers. It would seem as if the Eastern nations were destined to set us of the Catholic and Protestant world examples not only of the most generous hospitality, but of the most advanced religious toleration.

THE BEAUMONT AND METTERNICH DUEL.

Prince METTERNICH is fast recovering from his wound, and, it is expected, will be shortly able to leave his bed. The statement that he is likely to lose his diplomatic position for violating the regulations against dueling which are in force in the Austrian Embassies is without foundation. The Prince went to Vienna previous to the duel expressly to obtain the Emperor's permission to fight. The manner in which the Comte DE BEAUMONT obtained possession of the letters which led to the two recent encounters is not generally known, and should serve as a warning to ladies who make confidantes of their *femmes de chambre*. The Countess had a maid who presumed on her mistress' indulgence for some serious delinquencies, but who was disagreeably undeceived by a sudden dismissal. In revenge she sent an anonymous letter to the Count, informing him where he would find some correspondence belonging to his wife which would interest him. Two duels, arising out of the disclosures to which these letters gave rise, have already come off, and two others remain to be fought. The Comte DE BEAUMONT is one of the handsomest men in Paris.

VIRGINIA.

The First State Fair Since the War—Gathering of the People at Richmond—The Historical Grounds—The Character of the Exhibitors.

From Our Special Correspondent.

RICHMOND, Tuesday Evening, Nov. 2, 1869.

Before the war the State of Virginia had made very considerable progress in the organization of her agricultural interest by means of a system of societies and clubs, which, having for its foundation neighborhood associations of ten or a dozen farmers, contemplated the grouping of these into county societies, and these again into district societies; and, comprehending and crowning the whole, the State Society. The plan had been only partially realized in its elemental features, but a number of successful and flourishing county and district societies were formed, and the State Society from the very beginning, some eighteen years ago, sprang into great popularity and prosperity. The farmers who had enjoyed several seasons of unusual prosperity, and were somewhat exceptionally flush of ready money, endowed it very handsomely, and every year, in the beautiful Indian Summer, it was the custom not only of this class, but of all "the best people" of the State to assemble in this city, not more, perhaps, with the view of promoting the interests of agriculture than with the hope of a week's enjoyment from such entertainments as the city afforded, and the pleasure of meeting friends from every quarter of the State. It was, in fact, the annual reunion of the people, and the attractional were more of a social than an agricultural character. Fatherly landlords might forget to bring his fat pigs or his fine-wooled sheep, but rarely failed to bring his wife and daughters; so that there was peculiar justice in the remark of the late Mr. RITCHIE, at the first exhibition: "After all, the great show is the people."

The war put an end to all this, as it did to a great many other things very dear to the Virginian heart. The present is the first exhibition since 1860. The Society, however, has maintained its organization through the eventful interval, and had the good fortune to preserve its endowment of some sixty-odd thousand dollars, subject temporarily to the depreciation of the State stocks in which it is invested. It owns the beautiful grounds it occupies, and, now thoroughly reorganized, with a good deal of "dead wood" cut away, it enters upon its new career with the appearance of a brilliant future. The means of the Society for the present exhibition have been increased by an appropriation of $10,000 from the City, and by liberal contributions from private parties. The grounds have been put in excellent order, old buildings repaired and new ones added, a new race course of a mile added to the old half mile course, and everything made ship-shape for the "exposition."

Speaking of the race course, it may be worth while to mention, en passant, that at the Presbyterian State Synod which was held in this city last week, the question was raised whether it was not inconsistent on the Church to set its face against the encouragement given to horse-racing by the "trials of speed" now in such favor at agricultural fairs. The question raised a very considerable tocsin in the body, but was finally got rid of without a vote, and the reporters for the newspapers were requested to make no mention of it. It remains to be seen whether Revs. and elsewhere those whose conscieneses are troubled by an inability to perceive how questions of morality are affected by a change of name—if horse-racing really be a question of morals—will allow it to remain quiet. It may be worth mentioning, too, in the same connection, as a feature of the times, that it is only of late years that trotting races, the favorite form of the amusement in the North, have been regarded with any favor in Virginia. The Virginians, from time immemorial, have been more accustomed to the saddle than to the wheel-vehicle, and the pace and gallop are the gaits to which saddle horses have been trained, and running the best gaits the most of the best. But here

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Instituted by Rev. William Butler, D.D., General Charles Albright, Rev. William F. Warren, D.D., and Rev. Bishop Simpson. Rev. Bishop Ames will preside. CYRUS D. FOSS,
Chairman of Anniversary Committee.
W. R. HARRIS, Secretary.

THE JUMEL WILL CASE.

Interesting Proceedings in Court—Nearly $10,000,000 Involved.

A Circuit Court was opened yesterday by Judge BARNARD for the purpose of trying one of the notorious suits known as CHAMPLAIN BOWEN et al. vs. ELIZOR CHASE et al. There are about four actions pending, all depending upon the same questions of law and fact, and all arising out of the provisions of a certain will alleged to have been made by Mme. JUMEL a short time prior to her death. The amount of property (which consists mainly of real estate in this City) involved in the litigation, is little less than $10,000,000. At the October Circuit, held by Judge INGRAHAM, one of the actions was reached in its regular order on the calendar, and the defendant, CHASE, announced his readiness to proceed to trial. The plaintiffs at that time were not ready for the reason that certain commissions to examine witnesses resident in the States of Rhode Island, Connecticut, &c., had been issued, but not returned, in consequence of the illness of the witnesses then named, who are very old and infirm. After a long discussion between counsel at that time, Judge INGRAHAM directed that the case be put down for trial on the first Monday of November, inst., on condition that the plaintiffs stipulate that they would be ready on that day. Yesterday (Thursday) was the first day there has been any Circuit Court this month. It was avowedly organized for the purpose of trying this one case, which, having been called by the Presiding Judge, the defendants, by their counsel, Mr. CHAS. O'CONOR and Mr. CARTER, answered that they were ready to proceed.

Mr. TRACY, in behalf of the plaintiff, said they were not ready at that time, on Monday last, the day on which the case was set down peremptorily for trial, they were ready here with their witnesses. But there was no Court at that time, nor had there been any Circuit until this morning. Besides, said Mr. TRACY, I will read some affidavits, and a notice which has been served on the other side, showing that this cause has been removed from this Court to the United States Circuit. The proper papers, he said, had been filed, and that of itself, he contended, removed the action to the Federal Court, and stayed all proceedings in this tribunal. One of the grounds for this removal was that the plaintiff could not obtain justice in the State Court. They had a right, by virtue of an act of Congress, passed in 1867, to have a cause removed from the Supreme Court of this State to the United States Court, upon an affidavit showing "that from prejudice or local influence he will not probably obtain justice in the State Court. Upon giving the requisite security, and filing the affidavit, the cause is removed to the United States Court for any further proceedings, and hence all jurisdiction over the action by the State Court ceases. He, Tracy, contended, had filed their affidavit, but any other State Judge, had any further jurisdiction of the action.

Mr. O'CONOR read the order of the Court made at the October term, also the stipulation entered into by counsel. The defendants were ready to proceed to trial; they had brought their witnesses here, and it was trifling not only with the order of the Court, but with a solemn agreement which had been entered into by the other side.

Mr. TRACY replied that if the stipulation made by counsel for the clients were binding on them, why, when they were on hand ready for trial, it certainly had not been their fault, after waiting three or four days with no Court in session. This proceeding to remove to the United States Circuit Court was in the nature of an appeal before judgment; and he doubted whether Congress had any power or authority by statute then to bind his clients to try a cause in a Circuit Court, when the law gave that client the right to have the case heard in another tribunal, where it would be free from "prejudice or local influence."

Judge BARNARD said if it were not for the stipulation which had been read, he would be willing to listen to a motion for postponement, but that under the circumstances he must order the cause to proceed. The action was still in his Court, and not under Federal jurisdiction.

Mr. McKEON, the clerk, thereupon commenced to impanel a jury, when Mr. TRACY interposed and said there was no necessity for that formality. The plaintiffs would not put in an appearance.

Mr. O'CONOR then asked to have the cause called, and the plaintiff not answering, the Court on motion directed that the complaint be dismissed, with costs. This is the case for the suit which would have taken probably two weeks to try, and the details of which promised to be rich in reminiscences of the olden time.

Daring Operation by Thieves at Hunter's Point.

On Wednesday night the depot of the Long Island Railroad Company at Hunter's Point was entered by thieves, who, on being detected by the watchman, seized him, and after binding and gagging him, placed him in the water closet, and one of them remained on watch. The other two proceeded to the Treasurer's office, and, by the aid of a jack-screw, other heavy and wedges and a complete set of burglars' tools, forced open the safe. The man who had been placed on watch became suddenly anxious as to the manner in which his friends were proceeding, and went to the room where they were at work, and, taking them by surprise, advantage of the occasion, and rending his fetters, effected his escape and escaped from the building. When the watchman returned to his post he immediately detected his escape, and informing his companions they fled for fearing arrest. The safe contained two and some papers, but nothing was removed. One of the burglars is known to the watchmen.

Payment of Taxes.

The notice issued by the Receiver of Taxes, permitting the payment of taxes by checks inclosed in envelopes, has already had a good effect in thinning out the crowd, who usually congregate in the tax office at this period. It should be understood that this mode of payment will be allowed only to the 15th inst.

Sale of Property for Unpaid Taxes, &c.

The usual annual sale of property on which taxes and Croton rents have remained unpaid for two or more years commenced yesterday morning in the City Hall. The person offering to pay the arrears and take the property for the smallest number of years sets it. Most of the property was bought on terms of five, six and seven years.

Serious Ferry Accident.

Yesterday morning a man attempted to jump from the bridge to a Grand-street ferry boat after she had started, and falling struck his head against the bridge, injuring himself severely and throwing him into the river. He was rescued in an insensible condition by Officer RYAN, of the Thirteenth Precinct, and sent to Bellevue Hospital. He was unable to give his name, and was not known to any of the persons who witnessed the accident.

Affray in a Saloon.

At an early hour yesterday morning EDWARD J. BURKE, keeper of the saloon No. 114 Greenwich-street, quarreled with THOMAS MURPHY over a game of cards, and a fight ensuing, BURKE received a dangerous wound on the head with a slung shot. MURPHY was arrested by Officer LOCKWOOD, of the Twenty-seventh Precinct.

LAW REPORTS.

COURT CALENDARS—THIS DAY.

SUPREME COURT—GENERAL TERM.

Held by Clerke, P. J., and Sutherland and Cardozo, JJ.—Court opens at 10:30 A. M.

Motions of not-commenced calendar. No other cause will be taken up.

Court will be opened in the Supreme Court Chambers by Judge INGRAHAM.

SUPREME COURT—SPECIAL TERM.

Hilton Barnard, J.—Court opens at 10:30 A. M.

Demurrers.

Nos.		Nos.	
11	Smith vs. Small.	22	Baldwin vs. Dodd.
21	Schuchmann vs. Schlamp.	23	Trierle vs. Cox.

Issues of Law and Fact.

Nos.		Nos.	
404	Lawrence vs. Good.	173	Gardner vs. Thomson.
128	Smith vs. Munger.	174	Lawler vs. Lawler.
218	Gallager vs. Gallager.	176	McLaughlin vs. Citizens' Nat.
227	Hagan vs. Coddington.	179	Spencer vs. Belmer.
168	Bitter vs. Brady.	180	Norton vs. Boston.
169	Bowen vs. Mapes.	182	A Draw vs. Co. vs. Mallinger.
271	Stillwagon vs. R. R. Co. vs. Mallinger.	183	Mayr vs. Rosenfeld.
172	Blanco vs. East New-York and Jamaica R. R. Co.	185	Gilman vs. McLellan.
		186	Smith vs. Sulzer.
		187	Emery vs. Laing.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS.

Hilton Barnard, J.—Calendar called at 11 M.

Nos.		Nos.	
54	Ward vs. McGregor.	97	The People vs. Board of Supervisors.
84	Miller vs. Whitney.	100	The People R. R. Co. vs. N. Y. Warehouse Security Co.
92	Turner vs. Whitney.	104	Ring vs. Price.
93	Allen vs. Ray.	114	Wolff vs. Hecht.
95	Hermann vs. Kissam.	122	Thorne vs. Mauriel.
		125	Cheney vs. Hall.

Call calendar at No. 143, Winslow vs. Dibblee.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS.

Part II.—Held by Jones, J.

Nos.		Nos.	
252	Tuttle vs. Smith.	1269	Pound et al. vs. Sh. Kohlsaat.
1268	Schmidt vs. Bruyn.		H. Sheriff.
1175	Leitner vs. Hamburger et al.	1289	The National Bank of Louisville vs. Lorum Co.
1264	Fitzpatrick vs. Fitzpatrick.	1246	Fish vs. Gary Fire Ins. Co.
1268	Lawrence vs. Ward.	1268	Hoffman vs. Continental

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ACADEMY OF MUSIC.
14th-st., corner Irving-place.
LINDA DI CHAMOUNIX. Characters by Miss S. L. Rotberg, Miss Collini, Signor Bonetti, Mobiliani, and others.

BOOTH'S THEATRE.
Sixth-st., corner 6th-av.
MARY WARNER. Leading characters by Miss Bateman, Mr. George Jordan and Mr. Hamblin.

WALLACK'S THEATRE.
Broadway, near 30th-st.
THE RIVAL ATTORNEYS. Leading characters by Messrs. Gilbert, Wyndham, Stoddart, Miss Louisa Moore and Mrs. Boucicault.

NIBLO'S GARDEN.
Broadway, between Prince and Houston sts.
LITTLE NELL. Leading characters by Miss Lotta.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.
8th-st., corner 23d-st.
CHARLES O'MALLEY. Leading characters by Mr. Edward Falconer, Miss Lizzie Weber.

OLYMPIC THEATRE.
Broadway, near Bleecker-st.
STREETS OF NEW-YORK. Leading characters by Messrs. Mortimer, Stanley and Miss Eliza Newton.

FIFTH-AVENUE THEATRE.
28th-st., near Broadway.
SHE WOULD AND HE WOULD NOT. Leading characters by Mrs. Scott-Siddons and Mr. George Clarke.

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Broadway and 30th-st.
Afternoon—NICHOLAS NICKLEBY. Evening—FLICK FLOCK. Large collection of curiosities.

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STEINWAY HALL.
14th-st.
LECTURE BY REV. W. H. MILBURN. Subject—"What a Blind Man Saw in Paris."

NATIONAL ACADEMY OF DESIGN.
23d-st., corner 4th-av.
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NEWS OF THE DAY.

EUROPE.

A Madrid dispatch says Admiral TOPETE insists on tendering his resignation as a Cabinet officer, but the Regent declines to accept it. A new Cabinet may become necessary. The Cortes has again adjourned.

The contemplated meeting between the Emperor of Austria and the King of Italy, according to a London dispatch, is to take place in the latter part of this month, at Brindisi, in Italy.

The French Empress has arrived at the Mediterranean terminus of the Suez Canal.

The Emperor of Austria arrived in Greece yesterday, and was received at the Piræus by the King.

A party of priests and others returning recently from a land meeting near Cavan, Ireland, were attacked and beaten so that one of them died. A verdict of murder was returned by the Coroner's jury against seven Orangemen who were implicated in the assault.

The financial budget before the Prussian Diet proposes a sinking fund to reduce the debt one per cent. per annum, and the conversion of the loans to four and a half per cent. rentes.

Another battle between the Dalmatians and the Austrian troops is announced, in which the former were defeated after four hours' fighting.

On the subject of the Ecumenical Council the Rome correspondent of the London *Post* says that the definition of the Assumption of the Virgin will not be opposed, but that the creation into a dogma of the necessity for the temporal power is not considered possible. The liberal Bishops may advise making terms with the King of Italy, so that appointments may be made without destruction to nationality. The Syllabus will not be abrogated, and the Bishops will probably be asked to sanction it by open adhesion, and to explain the obscure portions. The Pope alone will have the initiative in everything. Beyond the above points the business before the Council will consist mainly of questions of internal discipline.

The boiler of the British gunboat *Thistle*, while on a trial trip off Sheerness, England, yesterday, exploded, killing two men and severely injuring eight others.

Electoral meetings have been held in various localities in Paris at which the interference of the Police was not in any case deemed necessary.

A dispatch from London dated at midnight, last night, announces the death of GEORGE PEABODY, at his residence in that city, at 11:30 o'clock.

GENERAL.

Advices from Hayti and San Domingo are to the effect that General CHEVALIER, SALNAVE's Secretary of War, had been compelled to raise the siege of Jacmel, by the advance of General BRIZO's revolutionary forces on Port-au-Prince. BRIZO had previously captured Miragoane. The Dominican revolutionists were inactive near Azua. Rumors of the sale of San Domingo to the United States were gaining strength in the island.

JOHN C. HALLEY, Deputy Collector of Internal Revenue for Oakland, Cal., it is said, is a defaulter, and is supposed to have sailed from San Francisco by the last Panama steamer. The deficit in his accounts is only $1,400.

Oregon has been visited by heavy rains recently.

A party of forty "regulators," near Prestonville, Ky., went to the house of M. J. MARDOX and demanded his surrender with the negroes who worked for him. He refused, and the ruffians began firing on the house. After a protracted fight the assailants were driven off.

PETER FERDON, while lying under an arch in the furnace at Poughkeepsie, yesterday morning, was scalded by the opening of a blow-off cock, the engineer being unaware of the presence of the unfortunate man. The flesh was stripped off him in some places, and he died in four hours.

HIGHWAY ON BRIDGES.

At the Charlestown Navy Yard, yesterday, three hundred workmen and laborers were discharged. A reduction was made in every department.

Governor WARMOUTH, of Louisiana, contradicts the report that ten and a half millions Louisiana State bonds had been issued without being recorded. He adds that all bonds issued by him were authorized by law and have been properly recorded and the interest promptly paid.

The buildings of the Western Pacific Railway at Stockton, Cal., were destroyed by fire on Wednesday night.

The difficulty in the Presbyterian Theological Seminary at Chicago has been settled by a compromise by which Dr. LORD continues in the Chair of Divinity, Mr. McCORMICK is released from paying $50,000 claimed to be due to the school, and the three directors of Dr. LORD's party resign to give place to three agreeable to both parties.

The United States steamer *Benicia* will sail from the Portsmouth Navy Yard for the West Indies on the last of this month.

D. B. WHITE has been appointed Assessor of the Fourth Virginia District, and GEORGE M. ROSS for the Second Tennessee District.

The colored population of Baltimore yesterday celebrated the anniversary of emancipation with great display. An address was delivered in the afternoon by Bishop WAYMAN, and a ball was given in the evening in Douglass Hall.

A steam fire engine, the engine house, hose carriage and other property belonging to the Fire Department at Nashua, N. H., was destroyed by fire early yesterday morning. The circumstance is regarded with suspicion, as there was much dissatisfaction felt with the location of the engine house.

The woolen mills of JOSEPH ELLIS & Co., near Brantford, Ont., were totally destroyed by fire on Wednesday night. Loss $100,000; insurance $40,000.

SMITH TAYLOR, a citizen of Auburn, N. Y., aged 70, was instantly killed on Wednesday by a freight train running over him.

Two little girls, aged 3 and 4 years, children of NATHAN DOWAY, Harwich, Mass., were burned to death in the fire which destroyed their house, during the temporary absence of their parents.

The Baptist Sunday School Convention, in session at St. Louis yesterday, adopted resolutions expressing a desire to unite the denomination throughout the country in cooperative Sunday School work, and to establish a Sunday School teachers' paper, to be printed weekly.

LOCAL.

Two sessions of the Evangelical Alliance were held yesterday at the church in Eighth-avenue, corner of Twenty-ninth-street. Addresses were delivered by Hon. WILLIAM E. DODGE, Rev. Dr. SCHENCK, Dr. McCOSH, Rev. Mr. HALL and other gentlemen on the necessity of a great Protestant World's Conference, to be held in New-York next Autumn, for which object over $9,000 was collected at the meetings.

The report of the managers of the American Institute Fair submitted last evening, shows a net profit of $21,000. This is the largest success had at any similar Fair of the Institute hitherto.

The Chamber of Commerce yesterday recommended to Congress the establishment of a semi-monthly mail between San Francisco and China and Japan. The report of the Committee on frauds and corruption in the management of the State canals, recommending the collection of testimony to enable the Citizens' Association to prosecute the guilty parties, was adopted.

The "medical" women of this City propose forming an association for their own benefit, where they can interchange their views and promote their interests. Preliminary steps are now being taken toward its organization.

We print elsewhere our Havana correspondence, dated Oct. 20. The decree relating to freedom of worship in the Isle of Cuba, and the latest news, only hinted at by telegrams already printed in the TIMES, are part of the letter.

The famed Jumel will case yesterday came before the Supreme Court, Circuit, Judge BARNARD presiding, when the defendants' counsel announced that they were ready to proceed to trial. Counsel for the plaintiffs claimed that the action had been removed from the State to the Federal Court, in pursuance of the act of Congress of 1867, which provides that a removal may be had in cases where, "from prejudice or local interest," justice cannot be fairly administered. Judge BARNARD held that he had jurisdiction of the action, and dismissed the complaint.

The case of The People of this State ex. The Central Railroad Company of New-Jersey, which has been instituted for the purpose of compelling the Company to remove their long pier from the river, was argued yesterday in the Supreme Court General Term. No decision was rendered.

The Last Judiciary Article—Moral Responsibility of the Bar.

We believe the Judiciary article of the proposed new Constitution was lost on Tuesday mainly through the indifference or hostility of Republicans; and that this indifference or hostility was mainly the fault, as we have intimated once or twice before, of the Bar. The Bar of this City, which knows most of the evils of the present system, and suffers most from them, has got into a convenient way of shifting the whole responsibility on the shoulders of the people. It knows that a large number of the Judges are outrageously corrupt; that they not only take bribes and extort blackmail from suitors, but are rapidly debauching the lawyers, and especially the younger lawyers, by references, and "allowances," and barefaced favoritism; that the profession has already been reduced to such a condition that the more respectable members express themselves doubtfully as to the possibility of an honest man's continuing in it much longer, or allowing his sons to go into it; that there are certain Courts into which they dare not take certain causes; that legal knowledge or skill every year counts for less and less in the conduct of business, and that the poison of this corruption is rapidly extending itself through all branches of business and all relations of life. Nevertheless, they resolutely refuse to make any attempt at reform. Some say, unblushingly, that the reason why they won't move in that if would injure their own business; but the majority fall back on the plea that reform must come from the people, and that the Bar, being but a handful, can do nothing.

The fact is, however, that as all that relates to the administration of justice, public opinion either is, or may be and ought to be, moulded by the lawyers. This is not only true of this country, but of every country in which there is a Government of laws and not of men. The public wants justice, and desires that it should be administered without sale, denial or delay; but in all that relates to the machinery of justice, the mode of selecting the Judges, their qualifications and tenure of office and manner of discharging their duties, and the code of procedure, laymen are in the main willing to be led and guided by lawyers. They do not and cannot know enough to successfully address them on these matters. They look to the Bar for guidance, and if the Bar gives them the wrong guidance, they are misled, and the evil results follow. The Bar, then, is responsible for the evil results which follow its misguidance, just as much as a man who, knowing the road to be infested with highwaymen, should persuade a traveler to take it, is responsible for the robbery and murder of the traveler. The Bar, then, is responsible for the present condition of the Judiciary, because it has not by its influence and example created a public opinion which would have compelled the nomination of better men, and because it has not by its influence and example created a public opinion which would have compelled the election of better men than it has generally voted for when they were nominated. The Bar is responsible for the corruption of the Judiciary, because it has not by its influence and example created a public opinion which would have made it impossible for a Judge to continue in office who was known to be a corrupt man, or who was known to be a man who was daily committing acts which tended to lessen the respect of the people for the Judiciary and the Law. The Bar is responsible for the present condition of the Judiciary, because it has not by its influence and example created a public opinion which would have made it impossible for a Judge who was known to be a corrupt man, or who was known to be a man who was daily committing acts which tended to lessen the respect of the people for the Judiciary and the Law, to be renominated or reelected. The Bar is responsible for the present condition of the Judiciary, because it has not by its influence and example created a public opinion which would have made it impossible for a Judge who was known to be a corrupt man, or who was known to be a man who was daily committing acts which tended to lessen the respect of the people for the Judiciary and the Law, to be renominated or reelected, without there, and in our opinion, the rapid advance of judicial corruption in this City, to its present alarming stage, has been due to what we cannot help calling the guilty silence of the Bar. Early and energetic action on its part would have roused the people into action before the evil had grown so large and familiar as to plunge the best men into despair and reduce the worst to apathy or indifference.

It is all very well to say that the corruption of the Judiciary is confined to the City. We deny it most emphatically. It is ridiculous to pretend that a disease of this sort, once it takes hold of a community, can be confined by county lines. It is sure to spread, and it has spread. We say that there are now as bad Judges in the country districts as any in the City. Their number we admit, is small, but it is increasing and will increase; and we assert, moreover, that the opposition to any change in the mode of appointing Judges, and to their tenure of office, on the part of the country districts, comes not so much from the people as from the lawyers, and especially the younger lawyers. In the Constitutional Convention it was the latter who most strenuously opposed all change, the reason being that they all want a chance of being elected to the Bench themselves. In the country a Judgeship is, what it has ceased to be in the City, a social distinction, and the salary is sufficiently large to tempt even the most flourishing country practitioners. The members of the Bar, therefore, are opposed to any change which would cut off their chances of a turn on the Bench, and we may be sure that would-be Judges among them are not neglecting the arts by which nominations are secured. The effect of these arts on the judicial character of a man who has successfully cultivated them before mounting the Bench, we need not here describe.

At the election on Tuesday the effect of the indifference or remissness of the legal profession was well shown. A few of them held a meeting at Albany some weeks ago, and issued a rather feeble address to the people of the State, recommending the adoption of the Judiciary article of the new Constitution, but it naturally attracted little or no attention. The profession in this City kept as quiet as mice. They, it is true, or rather a few of them, nominated Judge CLERKE, but in an obscure and uncertain way, so that not one voter in a hundred ever heard of it, and probably two-thirds of the City lawyers would have turned pale at the bare suggestion of publicly supporting him. The Ring met CLERKE's supporters very dexterously by nominating Judge BRADY for CLERKE's place. This enabled it to neutralize the effect of the little that some members of the Bar had said about CLERKE's honesty,—for was not BRADY as honest, and at least as learned, and was not his judicial record at least as pure? It also thus furnished an excuse to the more corrupt Republican politicians for voting for and even working and cheating for the Ring candidate, because the remote effects of BRADY's election were not known to the general public, and nothing was done to call attention to them by the Bar. BRADY's election is not in reality an election, but the translation of a Judge from one Court to another at the bidding of the Ring; thus creating a vacancy in the Common Pleas, which the Ring will be able to fill without submitting anything to the popular vote. It will send the name of its man to Governor HOFFMAN, and he will put him on the Bench, without having to defend his qualifications before the electors. The thing is now all but accomplished, and a more dexterous thing the Ring has never done, for it has accomplished a piece of knavery with all the honors usually attaching to honesty and integrity.

The Bar, we understand, is laying more closely than ever the flattering unction to its soul that things will begin to improve as soon as they reach the lowest point; and that in the meantime there is nothing to be done but let the Bench run down as fast as possible; the individual members of the profession, in the meantime, making as much money as they can, and keeping on as good terms as possible with judicial knaves. There are, in fact, scores, if not hundreds, of lawyers who attend church every Sunday, and take the Communion too, who have done, during the week, what little was in their power to cover up the wickedness of the bad Judges—who have looked on their frauds with sealed lips, or winked at their spoliation of the poor, and even shared in the division of what they knew to be neither fees, nor costs, but brute prey,—the prey of men compared to whom the poor burglar is respectable. A more despicable trade than the practice thus pursued it would not be easy to find.

The Republican Party in the City and the State.

It cannot be too distinctly understood that the responsibility for Tuesday's defeat rests with Republicans outside of the City. In the City the party did its duty; there were unity, energy, and a success which is manifest in a largely reduced Democratic majority. The apathy and indifference which ended in disaster attached mainly to our country friends.

The improvement in the City vote was a direct consequence of the altered condition of the party here. So long as it was divided and disorganized effective effort was impossible. With two Committees, each claiming to represent a section of the party, and each jealous of, if not hostile, to the other, there could be no general or hearty party action. A supposed antagonism of interest gave rise to intrigue and unfriendly feeling; and these again alienated respectable Republicans, who left the management of the party to men having scanty claims to public confidence. Continual defeat was in these circumstances inevitable. The Democrats had everything their own way. They organized "repeaters" and manipulated the ballot boxes with impunity.

But matters have undergone a radical change. There are no longer rival Republican Committees. The terms of the union recently effected, and ratified by the Syracuse Convention, have been carried out in good faith. Out of the City there has been no antagonism; intelligent, earnest effort has succeeded indifference and disgust. The result we now on Tuesday. For the first time in years, the "repeaters" were held in check by agencies employed by the Republican Committee. Numbers who had registered were deterred from voting; others who did vote were arrested; and though judicial authority was at hand in the interest of Tammany, the general effect was wholesome. The Democratic vote fell short of the registration, and more than twenty thousand short of the vote of last year.

A Republican gain of nearly twenty-one thousand is, then, the first product of the party's reorganization in the City, and the best evidence of what the party may be expected to achieve in future contests. The work of breaking down the Tammany majority is but begun. The means employed were necessarily defective: there was neither the perfect attention to registration which might be possible, nor the thoroughness in management which is desirable. Unwise nominations were made; unwise plans in some districts tolerated. But a good beginning has been made. The party has shown that it is united and prepared to exert itself. Another election, we may fairly hope, will witness more complete management, and still more stringent measures to frustrate the fraud and treachery of the Democracy. The Democratic preponderance in this City, therefore, tends downward, not upward, despite the result of Tuesday's trial.

In this fact there is a lesson which Republicans in other parts of the State may usefully remember. They formerly labored under a dispiriting consciousness that their efforts would not be sustained by their friends in the City; and there can be no doubt that the prevailing apathy this year was in many localities aggravated by the supposed hopelessness of the struggle in Tammany's domain. For this feeling no excuse now exists. The Republicanism of the City has shown that it is united and alive to its responsibilities; it is healthy and strong; and the gain of Tuesday will stimulate it to increased exertion. If the country Republicans will put forth their strength with the same zeal, the reign of the Democracy in the State will not be long.

The True Way to Encourage Native Industries.

State Fairs and commercial Conventions are becoming much more common than ever they were before, and we regard the circumstance as one of the most promising of all the "signs of the times." The special industries of each district are brought into prominence, and the inventor or the ingenious artisan enlarges his opportunities of finding profitable markets.

The first exhibition which Virginia has been able to arrange since the war is now open. It does credit to the enterprise of the projectors, and will bring money from other parts into Richmond; for there is not only Northern competition, but many visitors from a distance. We are rather sorry to hear that some "domestic champagne" is among the commodities offered for sale, for there was quite as much of that in the market before as was good for the health of a confiding public.

The recent Convention at Louisville was of somewhat more extended importance, and this fact was recognized by General GRANT in the few remarks he made to the delegation which waited on him. Purely sectional differences were ignored at the Convention, and the President expressed a hope, which he has done his full part toward rendering a reality, that this good feeling would "extend and permeate throughout the entire Union, until every vestige of bitterness or unkindness should forever be eradicated." He also avowed the belief that the South would in a few years be richer than at any previous time in her history. It is quite certain that her own efforts to extend her commerce, and foster her industries, will do much toward justifying this anticipation.

One personal point in the President's remarks will not surprise our readers, although the "enlightened Democrats" may rejoice over it:

"Late in his second term, he could assure General WASHINGTON he felt now very much as he did at West Point in his cadet days, when he counted every month with eagerness to get out of his position. He had not sought his present position, as everybody knew."

The President has done his duty through evil and good report, and if he is anxious to be out of office, we may be sure that it is not because he is tired of serving the public. He has received scant courtesy from his political opponents, but the people at large only think the more highly of him when he is attacked by the advocates of dishonesty and repudiation.

Improving the Indians.

"What to do with the Indian" has become a pressing problem, now that civilization has found a grand highway between the Atlantic and the Pacific, along which already pours a mighty stream of travel and traffic. Our new and intimate relations with the red men will no longer suffer us to continue our Podensappian policy of "waiving them nay." So long as there were vast untenanted, uncultivated regions of the continent to which the Government could transfer the Indians,—beyond the bounds of travel and trade,—our fathers solved the Indian problem by simply moving the savages themselves out of the way. But there is no longer now—or very soon will no longer be—any "out of the way" to banish them to. The westward tide of commerce and civilization has met an eastward tide from the Pacific, and the two are now broadening over the vast region where the Indian once was substantially his own master. The conflicts between the red men and the white, already bloody, will be likely to grow more bitter, as the weaker goes gradually to the wall. Here and there, as now in Montana, the red men threaten to drive the whites from the Territory. We know very well that they can do nothing of the kind, but the difficulty is in their thinking they can do so. We cannot afford, for lack of a definite Indian policy, to imperil the lives of our own frontier people.

In answer to the question, "What to do with the Indian?" the Western pioneers and adventurers say, "Exterminate him!" and the feeling finds utterance in the Western journals. This is, though a disagreeable, yet a probable and an amiable upshot of the problem. Fortunately, however, for the red men, fortunately also for the white, and fortunately for our national honor, this "remedy" for the Indian evils is gradually dropping from the range of possibilities. The present Administration came into power with different ideas on the Indian question from any that had preceded it—ideas less sentimental, but more humane. They were the ideas of our army officers, who are familiar with Indian character, and whose view is, in brief, to treat hostile tribes with severity, friendly tribes with generosity, and all with perfect frankness, honesty and justice. As "extremes meet," what was more natural than for the "Quakers," or friends of peace, to coalesce with the soldiers, or "men of wrath," in this matter?

At all events, the coalition was made, and thus far the troops have had the hearty cooperation of the Friends in efforts to ameliorate the condition of the Indians. The recommendations of the Quakers to the Indian Bureau, which we noticed yesterday, are evidently based on the grand idea of altering the status of the Indian from that of an enemy or outlaw to that of an American citizen. Such, for example, are these:

"Industrial schools for the education of all the children.

Teaching the English language, prominently, in order to qualify them for citizenship.

That the Indians be supplied liberally with teams and tools to break up all their prairie lands, hull timber and lumber to build houses, work their land and perform all their work, which it is necessary to do on their farms, and have competent, judicious persons for a time to encourage them therein, and give them the needful instructions."

Evidently the design of these provisions is to make the Indian an object not for extermination, but for respect—to raise him, in time, to the full grade of citizenship, and to add him as an element to our nationality.

It is a striking experiment, and one whose results can hardly be forecast on mere theory. What we know is that the Administration and the Friends have thus far been in accord, and that any reasonable scheme which the latter propose will have a fair opportunity for trial.

The New-Jersey Murders.

There was a time when a double murder like that which was committed on the banks of the Hudson last Tuesday, would have sent a painful shock throughout the community. Whether we have become too much accustomed to such events to be startled by them any longer, or whether the sacredness of human life is no longer regarded as it once was, it is quite clear that even a murder of the most horrible kind fails to excite any unusual attention. The publications which issue indecent engravings, fit only to illustrate the obscenity lately put forward under a flimsy pretext in the Sunday number of a morning journal, will doubtless give disgusting pictures of the murder at Bombay Hook. It is not improbable that papers of greater pretensions will indulge their readers with likenesses of the murdered persons, and accurate drawings of their wounds. But this pandering to morbid and vicious tastes is not even intended to cause the most fearful of all crimes to be regarded with abhorrence. It merely familiarizes ill-regulated minds with crime in its worst aspects, and renders a desperate notoriety attractive rather than hideous.

There is no element of mystery connected with the Palisades murder out of which additional fascination can be wrought by profligate writers. A man of a jealous disposition and ungovernable temper—for such is the character JOHN DICKEY appears to have borne—becomes a cowardly assassin in a moment of rage. His own story is that he missed his wife from his side one night, and upon going down stairs found her with a boarder named COLQUHOUN, who lived in the house. Another boarder, named MOONEY, was also in the room at the time, and tried to prevent DICKEY from entering. The husband instantly shot COLQUHOUN, as he lay on the floor, and then fired at his wife. COLQUHOUN was killed on the spot, but the wife survived long enough to make a statement which, corroborated as it is by other evidence, completely discredits DICKEY's story.

The case thus altered is as follows: On Monday night the two boarders reached DICKEY's house at about 11 o'clock. Their knocking at the door aroused Mrs. DICKEY, who got out of bed, put on a few clothes and went down to let the men in. They asked for some food, and she placed it before them on a table. MOONEY satdown at one side of the table, COLQUHOUN at the other, and Mrs. DICKEY stood by the chimney. They were scarcely seated when MOONEY, whose back was toward the door, heard some one enter, and at the same moment COLQUHOUN cried out, in a supplicating tone, "Don't do that!" Mrs. DICKEY moved nervously from the chimney. COLQUHOUN rushed from his chair, and then MOONEY saw DICKEY fire at him, wounding him in the face. Had COLQUHOUN been in the position the husband declared he was when he fired, he could scarcely have received the shot in his face. MOONEY rushed from the house, and DICKEY completed his work by shooting his wife.

This version of the story is confirmed by one of the daughters of the murdered woman. She states that her mother and father went to bed at 10 o'clock, and had been there about an hour when the boarders came home. Her mother "was down stairs *a little while*," when her father got up, and directly afterward she heard a shot. It is evident from this that the poor woman was only a few minutes with the lodgers; and another circumstance which confirms her statement is that the next morning some bread and meat were found upon the table, untouched. She had spread the supper, but DICKEY came down before anyone had time to touch it. It is a shocking feature in the narrative that the murdered wife lay all night upon the floor without receiving any attention, and that no medical man came to her until she was dead. She might as well have been in the heart of Africa. The unhappy creature suffered great agony, and a neighbor came in and "turned her over three times." That was all the "Christian charity" or help she received. Thus her life ended, and her husband, quite "a hard-working woman," the mother of seven children. The murderer, her husband, has twice attempted violence against his fellow workmen, and is said to have been a confirmed drunkard. Such, then, is another dark page in the "short and simple annals of the poor." Unbridled passion has once more led to a cruel and dastardly crime, and it remains to be seen whether the law will be vindicated, or whether this double murder is merely destined to provide a companion for REAL in his excursions in search of pleasure. We have some faith in the law as administered in New-Jersey.

The Usury Law.

A bill has passed its second reading, in the Tennessee Assembly, providing in its first section—

"That hereafter it shall be lawful to contract for any rate of interest, provided that the rate of interest be in writing, and expressed in the face of the instrument creating the principal debt or obligation."

This, in effect, abolishes the restrictions upon business imposed by laws of usury.

We hope the same matter will soon receive similar attention at the hands of the New-York Legislature. The Usury law of our State, aside from the injury that always results to public morals when the occasions of ordinary business require the evasion of a statute, creates certain opportunities for swindling that without it would never exist. As men must and will borrow when in need, at any price required, the lender, to avoid the risk of usury, generally takes from the borrower a bill of sale of the property hypothecated. The borrower is thus compelled to take a risk which he cannot recover in law. The lender has become the owner of his property, and may, if so disposed, pass it away. In loans upon stocks and bonds such occurrences frequently take place, resulting in a sort of demoralization of the lenders, who, protected by law, make the risks of a fluctuating market an excuse for selling the securities. There are many parties who not only think such practices no wrong, but even defend them as right,—selling the securities pledged with them, at whatever times or prices they choose; merely considering that as a matter of honor they hold themselves responsible for the return of similar values, when the loan expires. In a recent suit in a Brooklyn Court, it was shown that a party, to evade the Usury law, gave a deed for real estate worth $100,000 for a loan of $10,000, taking an agreement from the lender to deed back the property at the expiration of a year for $12,500. Before the year expired the lender, having thus become the owner, sold the property for $65,000; and the sale being valid, all the Court could do for the unfortunate borrower, whose property had thus been sacrificed, was to give judgment against the lender for the difference between the loan and the $65,000.

With all the talk of labor organizations in New-York about corrupt politicians, they seem to fall when their announced principles are put to the test. They remain given over to the very politicians whom they denounced before election day. Mr. NELSON W. YOUNG was the chosen nominee of the Labor Union of which he is President, and one would have thought would have received their full vote, for the reason that he represents the interests of labor, and is opposed to the Ring. But he fell largely behind his ticket. The shining star of this City—a paper whose able advocacy of the rights of workingmen, and sensible advice, have made it trusted and popular among them—justly calls attention to this mortifying feature of Mr. YOUNG's campaign, and tells the Labor Union that it cannot afford to rest under the stigma that it is responsible for. Intelligent workingmen can hardly fail to indorse this opinion.

The indecent reporter and the "interviewer" have been found pretty good markets for their wares lately, and it would be hard to decide which had done most to degrade journalism. General BUTLER has given an independent opinion of the interviewer. "If God ever made a nuisance," said he the other day to one of these worthies, "the interviewing reporter is one, and you can make a personal application of the statement if you want to." This was emphatic, but General BUTLER never minces his words—as the crowd he addressed before the City Hall three or four years ago may perhaps remember. The concoctor of obscenity is, however, extinguishing the interviewer. The beauty of the "profession" of journalism is that nothing injures it—not even the deliberate attempt to force a paper into notice by publishing ribaldry which might well summon a blush to the cheek of the most depraved.

The number of accidents in the streets has of late greatly increased. A good deal of building work is going on, and Pat, who does the best part of it, very naturally takes the sidewalk to be his own property. The Police do all in their power to confirm that delusion. Pat therefore, lets his bricks and mortar fall round about in a shower, and the passers by are often carried off with bleeding heads. To be sure it would be easy to prevent this by putting up a few boards, so as to catch the *débris* from above. But why take the trouble? As a contemporary very well says, let people look out for themselves. Houses must be built, and in these quick days what matters the loss of a life or two? People are too particular, and the grumblers especially are growing fastidious. The papers yesterday made a fuss because "a young woman was knocked down insensible in Second-avenue." Well, then, she shouldn't have been there. Again: "Edward O'Keiten's nose was almost severed from his face by a falling brick in Duane-street." If a man cannot take better care of his nose he clearly does not deserve to have one at all. Is it not obvious that the poor builders are being abused without a cause?

It is said that Captain WASHINGTON, who is accused of taking his steamer past the drowning passengers of the *Stonewall* without offering them any help, has written a letter to clear himself. If he can prove that he was innocent of an act of cruelty which amounts to a crime, we shall be happy to record the fact. But the subject must be properly inquired into. Stories of the same kind have been a little too common of late to allow of this one being "hushed up." The custom of looking with cold-blooded indifference on a sinking ship and a distressed crew would be something quite new in our naval annals, and no true American sailor would ever fall into it. But spurious ones might. At any rate, let us have a thorough investigation of this *Stonewall* business. The local authorities at St. Louis must be quite competent to decide whether we are to look on this Captain WASHINGTON as an unjustly slandered man, or as a disgrace to his cloth and calling.

Mr. JOHN STUART MILL has wisely declined to offer himself a candidate for a seat in the House of Commons. When he was in Parliament he disappointed his friends, and afforded another proof that the state of politics is ill-suited to the philosophic temperament. His real influence for good is exercised through his works, and as his election to Parliament put an end for the time to his literary labors, the public lost much in one way and gained nothing in the other. Since his defeat at the last election he has resumed his studies, and published some comments on public affairs which have attracted far more attention than all his speeches. When his voice was only heard amid the din and turmoil of party strife, people ceased to listen to it with respect. The notes of passion in it—and Mr. MILL was too much in earnest to preserve entire imperturbability—distracted his admirers, and caused his enemies to pronounce him a failure. It is, therefore, to be hoped that he will not be induced to depart from his present determination.

The foreign residents in Havana, many of whom are wealthy, and to whom the trade of Cuba owes much of its activity, have as a rule held aloof from the discussions by which the island has suffered. But in spirit they are faithful to the cause of law and order. And—which is of importance in forming an estimate of the still remaining elements of trouble—they have faith in the power of the Government to triumph completely. A recent movement on their part to form a foreigners' constabulary force at Havana gave occasion for an address to the Captain-General, in which it is stated there are Cubans abroad who have imposed upon other nations, and that they, the framers of the address, wish their opinion to be understood. We think we have heard something like this before. It is all very well to excite sympathy for struggles for freedom, and for Americans to feel it. But the truth must be told at last, even to the discomfiture of the Cuban "irreconcilables." They refuse to accept reforms contingent only on their submission, preferring continued recuperations and bloodshed.

Certainly this new discovery of Dr. LORENZO Y CARMO's will be the means of rectifying many individual grievances, and settling a variety of social problems. He can put one man's head on another man's shoulders—a transposition which must a little confuse identity, but to which people who are not satisfied with their present structure would be very willing to submit. Some could lose nothing by risking a change of heads. We might even make arrangements, by wholesale and retail, for the sale or hire of exceptionally good heads, or accomplish the proverbially impossible task of "putting an old head on young shoulders." Instead of using hair dye for disguising the *capilli nigri* we might change the head itself for one a few years younger. But this is not all. We are assured that "human beings dissatisfied with their sex may, under the benevolent system of Dr. LORENZO Y CARMO, repair the error of their origin." Admirable discovery! One of the first results of it would be to disperse the "woman's rights" party, for every dissatisfied woman could assign her own place in nature. It is the millennium which Dr. LORENZO announces. We only hope his process may be shortened. It took him three months to transpose one head. By that time the owner must surely have forgotten whose it was—whether the body was originally his or the head, and which he considered the most useful article, and whether he was really himself or somebody else. Perhaps after all Dr. LORENZO has only had a nightmare.

The statistical report of the National Association of Cotton Manufacturers and Planters, just issued, gives in brief form some valuable information on that branch of industry and production. The report is based upon returns from 60 per cent. of all the spinning machinery in the country, and a few additional estimates. It appears that 786 Northern mills used 767,512 bales for spinning, and 108 Southern mills used 64,708 bales. This shows a reduction, as compared with last year, of 65,446 and 12,800 bales, respectively. The total crop of 1868-9 is definitely stated at 1,926,457 bales. The Association says further, that the supply to the world for the year ending Sept. 1, 1869, was insufficient at the low range of prices for that year; but the higher price caused a falling off in consumption the following year. The result has been a loss to manufacturers, since the world has refused to take the production of cotton goods at prices commensurate with those of the raw material, although trade has been uninterrupted, Europe has been at peace, breadstuffs have been cheap and money abundant.

Social Science and Reform.

Last evening the Reform Club met at Pimpton Hall, and its purposes were enlarged upon by Mr. IRA B. DAVIS. He announced the startling fact that Christianity and all human institutions thus far are a failure, and it is necessary to institute an entirely new order of things. The remedy for all the evils in government and in society, he said, was in the hands of the people. The whole nation should form a vast cooperative association, in which each individual would be equal to every other. Each should have an equal share in the government, an equal chance for labor and equal compensation for his services. In order to attain this end the first step was to abolish our representation system and submit all laws directly to the people. This was the panacea for all political corruption, and would make the Government strictly the instrument of the popular will. The second step would be the possession of all land by the Government and the employment of the people thereon, giving each an equal chance and equal pay, and providing for the helpless. The Government should also own all the schools and colleges, and undertake to furnish all the people equally with an education.

At the close of Mr. DAVIS' remarks, a proposition was made to raise a Committee to attempt the consolidation of the Social Science Society and the Reform Club. This was vigorously opposed on the ground that the purposes of the two associations would not harmonize, the former not being sufficiently advanced. It was said that the Social Science Society proposed to discuss various questions of reform in different departments of society, but this Club advocated a total reconstruction of human society on scientific principles. The plan of consolidation was abandoned.

Next Thursday evening Mrs. NORTON speaks on the Ragpickers of the City, and in two weeks Mr. ANDREWS delivers an address before the Reform Club.

Church Dedication at Hoboken.

A new church, just finished by the Fourth Unitarian Society, in One Hundred and Twenty-eighth-street, near Fourth-avenue, was dedicated with appropriate services last evening. Rev. E. W. CLARKE, pastor, opened the services in a short address, inviting all liberal Christians to join in making this a refuge. A hymn was then sung, which was followed by reading of the Scriptures by Rev. S. H. CAMP. The pastor then read a statement of the condition of the Society, showing that the cost of the new edifice was nearly $27,000. It is named

THE ELECTIONS.

NEW-YORK STATE

The Vote by Counties—Latest Reported and Estimated Majorities.

	Sigel, Rep.	Nelson, Dem.		
Allegany	800	New-York	45,000	
Broome	1,200	Kings	8,000	
Cattaraugus	1,600	Albany	1,016	
Cayuga	2,000	Chemung	400	
Chautauqua	1,600	Clinton	200	
Chenango	800	Columbia	197	
Cortland	1,000	Greene	300	
Delaware	1,000	Montgomery	400	
Dutchess	1,000	Orange	800	
Erie	4,000	Putnam	400	
Essex	800	Queens	1,800	
Franklin	800	Rensselaer	821	
Fulton and Hamilton	100	Richmond	700	
Genesee	1,000	Rockland	700	
Herkimer	1,100	Schenectady	110	
Jefferson	1,800	Schoharie	1,000	
Lewis	175	Seneca	400	
Livingston	1,100	Suffolk	100	
Madison	1,200	Sullivan	1,000	
Monroe	4,000	Ulster	1,200	
Niagara	800	Westchester	1,800	
Oneida	1,021	Total	69,717	
Onondaga	2,000			
Ontario	1,000			
Orleans	924			
Oswego	2,200			
Otsego	2,100			
St. Lawrence	2,000			
Saratoga	150			
Schuyler	120			
Steuben	1,800			
Tioga	950			
Tompkins	1,000			
Wayne	1,200			
Wyoming	1,400			
Yates	1,000			
Total	45,575			

Miscellaneous Returns.

Complete returns of the vote in Binghamton show that for Secretary of State 1,717 votes were cast, against 2,320 last year. Sigel's majority, 212; Greeley's, 228; Chapman, for Senator, 100; Ely, for Assembly, 289; for the Constitution, 126 majority; for the Judiciary article, 268 majority; for uniform assessment, 188; and against property qualification, 105.

The majority in Erie County for Sigel is 330; for Allen over Greeley, 417. The Senatorial vote is very close, and may require the official canvass to determine it.

It is now claimed that SPRINGSTEAD, the Republican candidate for the Assembly in the First District of Albany, is elected by five majority. The other three members are Democrats. The canvass in the Western District, First Ward, which was interrupted by a row with the Police on the day of the election, was completed today. The House of Assembly, as figured at Albany, stands Democrats 71, Republicans 57.

KINGS COUNTY.

The result in Brooklyn and Kings County is shown by the following tables:

Ward.	Sec. of State. Comptroller.		Mayor.		Sheriff.	
	Dem.	Rep.	Dem.	Rep.	Dem.	Rep.
1	277	833	281	848	251	839
2	227	1105	240	1099	229	1101
3	393	893	386	893	390	893
4	839	893	860	869	797	916
5	1000	1110	1000	1110	1000	1110
6	393	1134	1056	1126	879	1277
7	1287	1409	1353	1341	1127	1481
8	419	752	414	748	384	727
9	624	1272	646	1245	604	1265
10	1394	2115	1352	2074	1299	2120
11	1319	1351	1327	1463	1323	1350
12	519	1029	533	1009	521	1000
13	1000	1000	947	993	1000	1000
14	809	1539	721	1557	767	1546
15	1197	693	1151	623	893	1000
16	1769	1240	1393	1567	1258	1351
17	1134	1142	1139	1147	1134	1147
18	359	565	359	575	446	545
19	621	997	628	984	605	1016
20	1770	1028	1745	972	1535	1110
21	1000	1000	1000	1143	1000	1192
22	629	680	668	682	630	700
Total	20,119	26,813	20,287	26,903	19,665	27,665

Nelson over Sigel, 4,503; Allen over Greeley, 6,218; Kalbfleisch over Wilke, 6,300; Walter over Cunningham, 1,021; Walter's majority in the County, 1,338.

SUPERVISORS ELECTED.

Second Ward—Nelson, Democrat.
Fourth Ward—Kellmayer, Democrat.
Sixth Ward—Osborn, Democrat.
Eighth Ward—Foley, Democrat.
Tenth Ward—Duffy, Independent.
Twelfth Ward—Sheridan, Democrat.
Fourteenth Ward—Murphy, Democrat.
Sixteenth Ward—Wills, Republican.
Eighteenth Ward—Fletcher, Democrat.
Twentieth Ward—Harman, Republican.
Twenty-second Ward—Hall, Republican.

ALDERMEN ELECTED.

First Ward—Miller, Democrat.
Third Ward—Thorne, Republican.
Fifth Ward—Clancy, Democrat.
Seventh Ward—Stewart, Republican.
Ninth Ward—McGreevy, Democrat.
Eleventh Ward—Brown, Republican.
Thirteenth Ward—Harmon, Democrat.
Fifteenth Ward—Cunningham, Democrat.
Seventeenth Ward—Elliott, Independent.
Nineteenth Ward—Walter, Republican.
Twenty-first Ward—Weeks, Republican.

FOR STREET COMMISSIONER.

McLean, (Republican,) received 21,849
Furey, (Democrat) 22,440
Majority for Furey 591

NEW-YORK LEGISLATURE.

The Senate.

1. Samuel H. Frost, Democrat.
2. *James E. Pierce, Democrat.
3. *Henry C. Murphy, Democrat.
4. *William M. Tweed, Democrat.
5. *Michael Norton, Democrat.
6. *Thomas J. Creamer, Democrat.
7. *John J. Bradley, Democrat.
8. *Henry W. Genet, Democrat.
9. *William Cauldwell, Democrat.
10. *William M. Graham, Democrat.
11. George Morgan, Democrat.
12. *Francis S. Thayer, Republican.
13. *A. Bloecker Banks, Democrat.
14. Jacob Hardenburgh, Democrat.
15. Isaiah Blood, Democrat.
16. Christopher P. Norton, Democrat.
17. *Abraham X. Parker, Republican.
18. Morris Winslow, Republican.
19. Daniel R. Goodwin, Republican. (!)
20. Augustus R. Wright, Republican.
21. William H. Brand, Republican.
22. *George N. Kennedy, Republican.
23. *John F. Hubbard, Jr., Democrat.
24. *Orlow W. Chapman, Republican.
25. *William H. Wadding, Republican.
26. *Charles J. Folger, Republican.
27. Theodore L. Minier, Republican.
28. Jarvis Lord, Democrat.
29. George Bowen, Republican.
30. James Wood, Republican.
31. Lewis H. Lewis, Republican. (!)
32. Allen D. Scott, Republican.

Those marked with a * were members of the last Senate. The above list contains 15 Republicans and 17 Democrats.

The Assembly.

ALBANY COUNTY.
1. S. Springstead, Rep. 2. Rev. D. Ronan, Dem.
3. T. J. Lansdale, Dem. 4. *John Tighe, Dem.

ALLEGHANY COUNTY.
Charles N. Fitzsimon, Rep.

BROOME COUNTY.
*Wm. M. Ely, Rep.

CATTARAUGUS COUNTY.
1. Geo. H. West, Rep. 2. Stephen C. Green, Rep.

CAYUGA COUNTY.
1. Wm. H. Baker, Rep. 2. Stephen S. Hewitt, Rep.

CHAUTAUQUA COUNTY.
1. *Mat. F. Bennet, Rep. 2. Orange S. Wilson, Rep.

CHEMUNG COUNTY.
*Edward L. Patrick, Dem.

CHENANGO COUNTY.
Samuel L. Brown, Rep.

CLINTON COUNTY.
Daniel G. Dodge, Dem.

COLUMBIA COUNTY.
1. *Edward Sturges, Dem. 1. Daniel D. Barnes, Dem.

CORTLAND COUNTY.
Charles Foster, Rep.

DELAWARE COUNTY.
1. Alpheus Bull, Rep. 2. Roman H. Gleason, Rep.

DUTCHESS COUNTY.
1. James A. Seward, Rep. 1. David H. Mulford, Rep.

ERIE COUNTY.
1. *Geo. J. Sawyer, Dem. 4. H. B. Rennets, Dem.
2. Jas. B. Franklin, Rep. 5. Lyman Ostrom, Rep.
3. A. M. Bisnom, Rep.

ESSEX COUNTY.
Clayton H. Delano, Rep.

FRANKLIN COUNTY.
James H. Peires, Rep.

FULTON AND HAMILTON.
John F. Ranzie, Dem.

GENESEE COUNTY.
*Edward C. Walker, Rep.

GREENE COUNTY.
Hiram Van Gaasbeck, Dem.

HERKIMER COUNTY.
Daniel A. Northrup, Rep.

JEFFERSON COUNTY.
1. *Jay Dimick, Rep. 2. *W. W. Butterfield, Rep.

KINGS COUNTY.
1. *Hugh M. Clark, Dem. 4. Bernard Hayes, Dem.
2. *[illegible], Dem. 5. Sam. J. Madden, Dem.
3. *Dennis O'Keefe, Dem. 6. Joseph Droll, Dem.
4. Wm. W. Marsley, Dem. 8. *John C. Jacobs, Dem.
5. William G. Jones, Dem.

LEWIS COUNTY.
1. A. Penn, Dem.

LIVINGSTON COUNTY.
Richard Johnson, Rep.

MADISON COUNTY.
1. J. W. Merchant, Rep. 2. Leonard C. Hilliker, Rep.

MONROE COUNTY.
1. *Chas. S. Wright, Rep. 4. Volney P. Brown, Rep.
2. Jas. S. Graham, Rep.

MONTGOMERY COUNTY.
James Stalbecker, Dem.

NEW-YORK COUNTY.
1. *M. C. Murphy, Dem. 13. Wm. W. Cook, Dem.
2. *Jas. Humphrey, Dem. 14. Wm. Wheeler, Dem.
3. *O. Cavanagh, Dem. 15. J. R. Hamersley, Dem.
4. John J. Kiely, Dem. 16. *Alex. Frear, Dem.
5. *Peter Mitchell, Dem. 18. *James Irving, Dem.
6. *T. J. Creamer, Dem. 17. *G. W. Plunkitt, Dem.
7. John Carey, Dem. 21. *L. D. Kiernan, Dem.
8. *M. Natchman, Dem. 19. Thos. G. Fields, Dem.
9. John M. Cross, Rep. 20. John Sayre, Dem.
10. Owen Murphy, Dem. 22. *Wm. Hitchman, Dem.
11. John H. White, Rep.

NIAGARA COUNTY.
1. Lewis L. Paine, Dem. 2. Lee B. Sanborn, Rep.

ONEIDA COUNTY.
1. Samuel S. Lowery, Rep. 3. St. Pierre Jerred, Dem.
2. David M. Miner, Rep. 4. James Roberts, Rep.

ONONDAGA COUNTY.
1. Thos. G. Alvord, Rep. 3. Gustavus Snizer, Rep.
2. Nathan S. Taft, Rep.

ONTARIO COUNTY.
1. *Henry Bay, Rep. 3. David S. Wilson, Rep.

ORANGE COUNTY.
1. J. Hallock Drake, Rep. 2. *Thomas J. Lyon, Dem.

ORLEANS COUNTY.
John Barry, Rep.

OSWEGO COUNTY.
1. R. W. C. Littlejohn, L.R. 2. John Parker, Rep.
2. Abraham Howe, Dem.

OTSEGO COUNTY.
1. James Young, Dem. 2. W. W. Shaw, Dem.

PUTNAM COUNTY.
Morgan Horton, Dem.

QUEENS COUNTY.
1. *Jas. S. Pearsall, Dem. 2. F. R. Baldwin, Dem.

RENSSELAER COUNTY.
1. *John L. Flagg, Dem. 3. J. Thomas Davis, Rep.
2. Eugene Hyatt, Rep.

RICHMOND COUNTY.
*John Decker, Dem.

ROCKLAND COUNTY.
James H. Nelson, Dem.

ST. LAWRENCE COUNTY.
1. *Geo. M. Gleason, Rep. 3. William Bradford, Rep.
2. *Julius M. Palmer, Rep.

SARATOGA COUNTY.
1. Isaiah Fuller, Dem. 2. R. S. Ainsworth, Dem.

SCHENECTADY COUNTY.
Gershom Bradley, Dem.

SCHOHARIE COUNTY.
Silas Sweet, Dem.

SCHUYLER COUNTY.
William C. Cole, Dem.

SENECA COUNTY.
Robert R. Steele, Dem.

STEUBEN COUNTY.
1. J. G. Bennett, Dem. 2. John Davis, Dem.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.
R. D. Sleight, Dem.

SULLIVAN COUNTY.
*James L. Lamoree, Dem.

TIOGA COUNTY.
John H. Deming, Rep.

TOMPKINS COUNTY.
*John M. Selkreg, Rep.

ULSTER COUNTY.
1. Patrick J. Flynn, Dem. 3. Charles H. Krack, Dem.
2. A. E. Hasbrouck, Dem.

WARREN COUNTY.
G. S. Martine, Dem.

WASHINGTON COUNTY.
1. Thos. Stephenson, Rep. 3. *Isaac V. Baker, Jr., Rep
2. Owen Muncy, Dem.

WAYNE COUNTY.
1. Geo. N. Thomas, Dem. 2. John McCentral, Rep.

WESTCHESTER COUNTY.
1. Jas. L. Mooney, Dem. 3. *Jas. W. Husted, Rep.
2. *E. D. Lawrence, Dem.

WYOMING COUNTY.
*Marcus A. Hull, Rep.

YATES COUNTY.
Wm. T. Besser, Rep.

RECAPITULATION.

Republicans 86
Democrats 66
Democratic majority 10

Those marked with a * were members of the last Assembly.

MASSACHUSETTS

Returns from 285 Towns—The Republican Majorities Increasing.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Nov. 4.—The *Republican* this morning has returns from 285 Massachusetts towns, showing the following results: CLAFLIN, (Republican,) 70,199; ADAMS, (Democrat,) 49,792; CHAMBERLIN, (Labor Reform,) 12,000. Plurality for CLAFLIN, 21,407; majority for CLAFLIN, 9,454. The Senate will contain 39 Republicans, 9 Democrats and 1 Labor Reform; the House, 188 Republicans, 69 Democrats and 21 Labor Reform. Seven Representative Districts remain to be heard from.

CURRENT NOTES.

The Conservative Republicans of the Fourth District of Texas have nominated General HORACE BOUGHTON, formerly of this State, for Congress. His ancestors were among the earliest settlers of the valley of the Genesee. He distinguished himself early in the war as an officer of the Rochester regiment, which went to the first Bull Run 1,000 strong and came out reduced to 200. His promotion was rapid, and always secured by hard service in actual battle. He is a man of few words and of unusual judgment and force.

The Presbyterians and the Methodists of Canada observe to-day as a day of thanksgiving. The Lord Bishop of Quebec has designated Sunday, Nov. 7, as the day to be observed.

FRANCIS E. CORNWELL, who was the Democratic candidate for Justice of the Supreme Court in the Eighth District, died at his residence in Buffalo on election day. For several weeks he had been laboring under an attack of typhoid fever, complicated with other troubles, but his death was sudden and unexpected.

The sixteenth annual exhibition of the Georgia State Agricultural Society will commence at Macon on the 16th inst., and continue through the week. The railroads of the country will give free return tickets to all who attend the Fair.

A free school is to be established in Georgetown, D. C., for the benefit of the children of the poor, E. M. LINTHICUM, an old and highly esteemed citizen, who died a few days ago, having left $50,000 for the purpose.

The employes of the Portsmouth (N. H.) Navy Yard have given $1,000 to the widow of one of their number, who was recently killed by the explosion of a gasometer.

A Chinaman was recently bitten by a dog belonging to a white man in San Francisco, and brought the owner before the Police Court. After several witnesses had been heard, the counsel of the plaintiff offered the testimony of the Chinaman, and stated that he was compelled to prove by him that he was engaged in selling fish, and that he was the only one who could positively identify the color of the dog. The Court, however, refused to hear the testimony of the Chinaman on these vital points at that time, and took the case under advisement until that day week, to which date the case was postponed.

An Indiana paper reports that a young woman committed suicide near Lagrange, in that State, recently, by swallowing nearly the entire contents of an eight-ounce bottle of corrosive sublimate. It says, as may well be supposed, that her agony was terrible, and it adds that the girl's mother has become insane.

The Scientific crew have challenged the "0 crew for a shell race, over the usual course, for the champion flag of the Yale Navy.

The colored population of Virginia is leaving in large numbers for the South. The *Lynchburg Virginian* says that it has been so long used to Sambo in Virginia, that it parts from him with a sigh, believing that in less than a quarter of a century there will be very few of that race found in the Old Dominion.

Citizens of Newburyport, Mass., were much excited by heavy firing on Friday and Saturday evenings last, but were relieved from their apprehensions when they learned that a resident of Salisbury thus celebrated his acquittal, at a Court in Lawrence, of a charge of bigamy, which was preferred against him by a worthy maiden lady, who resided in the same house with him, and who felt scandalized at his bringing home a new wife in the place of one who had deserted him, she not being aware that he had previously obtained a divorce.

Memphis friends of Captain WASHINGTON, of the steamer *Sphinx*, No. 12, claim that when he passed the wreck of the burning steamer *Mountaineer*, he gave direction to his officers to stop and round to the boat in the last sign of distress that the officers of the *Sphinx* saw no persons on shore, and heard none in the water. They say that all that was left of the *Mountaineer* when burned down was the jackstaff and a portion of the forward arms. The clerks and pilots of the *Sphinx*, while at Memphis, certified to such a statement, which was sent to St. Louis to the officers of the Memphis Packet Company, requesting a suspension of public opinion until a full investigation can be had.

Minister MOTLEY has obtained for the Minnesota Historical Society a complete set of the publications of the "Record Commission" of Great Britain. The volumes, 217 in number, have already been shipped.

JOSIAH PIKE, of Portsmouth, N. H., is to be hanged at the State Prison in Concord, on Tuesday next, for the murder of Mr. and Mrs. BROWN at Hampton Falls. It will be the first execution that has ever taken place at the State Prison, and the second in Merrimac County. Only twelve witnesses, besides the officers, the condemned man's relatives and his counsel, will be admitted.

W. R. SPERRY, of the Junior Class of Yale, has been awarded the Yale Literary medal over five competitors.

Mr. TIMOTHY DARIN, of Syracuse, while present at a Republican meeting in that city on the night of election day, suddenly fell dead from heart disease. He served during the war in the One Hundred and Twenty-second New-York Volunteers and in the Ninth Artillery.

The Governor of Washington Territory, in his message to the Legislature, forcibly expresses the opinion that harbor defences are demanded there.

The New-Haven *Journal* complains of recent acts of vandalism and malicious mischief on the part of Yale students that would better become Comanche Indians. It thinks that a "little of Jailor WEBSTER's treatment would have a healthy effect, and is what is needed."

Hon. GARRETT DAVIS has written a long letter to Governor STEVENSON, of Kentucky, giving his views concerning a removal of the national capital. He opposes a removal, and asks, "Why should not Washington City run the parallel of Rome in the duration and splendor of metropolitan history?"

A lady died in Corry, Penn., on Friday, from the effects of chloroform administered by a dentist. She had been subject to heart disease.

Governor WALKER, of Virginia, begins his Thanksgiving proclamation thus: "While, during the year now drawing to a close, the blessings vouchsafed to the people of this Commonwealth may not in all respects have equaled those enjoyed by some of our more fortunate neighbors, nevertheless we have had manifold causes for profound thanksgiving and praise to Almighty God."

A Washington correspondent says: "The West and South are bent on the passage of a free banking law. The Administration is already favorable to it, if it can be based on coin. One or two members who have arrived express the opinion that a compromise may be agreed on which will require that all banks shall redeem fifty per cent. of their notes in coin. The Senate is more conservative on the subject than the House, and the existing banks will make a great fight over any attempt to interfere with their vested rights."

A State Labor and Mechanical Convention is called to be held in Columbia, S. C., on Wednesday, Nov. 24. All organized bodies of laborers, trades' unions and mechanical associations in South Carolina are requested to send representatives; and all unorganized bodies of workingmen are requested to hold mass meetings and choose delegates.

A son of SAMUEL ANABLE, Esq., of Albany, formerly of this City, who is a student at Williams College, while out gunning on Tuesday, was accidently shot in the arm. The wound was of so serious a nature that it became necessary to amputate the arm.

AMUSEMENTS.

Dramatic.

On Monday evening next Mr. JOHN LESTER WALLACK will make his first appearance this season in ROBERTSON's new comedy of "Home." The public of New-York are greatly indebted to Mr. WALLACK for the taste, energy and liberality with which he has kept up theatrical standards in the Metropolis at a height never surpassed, seldom equaled and never, even at times when an ephemeral public taste for the meretricious has betrayed many other managers into evil ways, lowered or degraded. The success of Wallack's Theatre has not been gained without hard work, nor is it kept up without generous outlay. Of this fact the public evince adequate and tangible appreciation. But there are other things in the world besides money, and one of the best of these is a fitting sense of that which is done to improve the artistic culture of a community and so of elevating and refining the general social tone. Of Mr. WALLACK's qualities as an actor we shall speak at the proper time. At present we speak of him only as a manager whose merits deserve ungrudged praise and that popular recognition which, on Monday night, will assuredly not be wanting. Apart from the attraction of Mr. WALLACK's reappearance, the new comedy, which is said to be, with one exception, the best Mr. ROBERTSON has written, is confidently expected to prove one of the golden successes of the season.

Musical.

Mme. ANNA BISHOP, who, with the exception of the late Ida Pfeiffer, is perhaps the greatest female traveler who has ever lived, has returned to this City after a long journey to the antipodes. During her absence, having left New-York Sept. 1, 1865, she has had a remarkable experience and suffered many vicissitudes, among which may be mentioned that of having been wrecked in the Pacific, and sailing in an open boat 1,400 miles to the nearest place of refuge. Mme. BISHOP's last professional tour was, we believe, in New-Zealand, whence she proceeded to India, returning to Europe by the Overland route. It is her intention to give a concert here on Wednesday, Nov. 10, at Steinway Hall, which, it may be hoped, old friends and lovers of music in general will take care to make a substantial success.

THE MORMON DIVISIONS.

Excommunication of Some of the Elders—The Official Announcement.

The *Deseret News*, published at Salt Lake City, and the official organ of BRIGHAM YOUNG, prints in its issue for Oct. 26, the following notices:

To whom it may concern:

This certifies that WM. S. GODBE, E. L. T. HARRISON and ELI B. KELSEY were cut off from the Church of Latter-day Saints on Monday, the 25th day of October, 1869, by the High Council of Salt Lake City, for harboring and spreading the the spirit of apostacy.

WM. DUNFORD, Clerk of Council.

TO THE LATTER-DAY SAINTS.

Our attention has been called of late to several articles which have appeared in the *Utah Magazine*, a weekly periodical published in this city. An examination of them has convinced us that they are erroneous, opposed to the spirit of the gospel, and calculated to do injury. According to the practice in the church, brethren were sent to labor with the editor and publisher of the Point out to them the evil results that would follow a persistence in the course they were pursuing. This did not have the desired effect, and they have since been tried before the High Council, and after a thorough and patient investigation of the case, it was found they had imbibed the spirit of apostacy to that decree that they could not any longer be fellowshipped, and they were cut off from the church.

The *Utah Magazine* is a periodical that, in its spirit and teachings, is directly opposed to the work of God. Instead of building up Zion, and uniting the people, its teachings, if carried out, would destroy Zion, divide the people asunder, and drive the Holy Priesthood from the earth. Therefore, we say to our brethren and sisters in every place, the *Utah Magazine* is not a periodical suitable for circulation among or perusal by the saints, and should not be sustained by Latter-Day Saints.

We hope this will be sufficient, without ever having to refer to it again.

BRIGHAM YOUNG,
GEORGE A. SMITH,
DANIEL H. WELLS,
ORSON PRATT,
WILFORD WOODRUFF,
GEORGE Q. CANNON,
JOSEPH F. SMITH.

Hon. Thomas F. Bowie.

Hon. THOMAS F. BOWIE, at one time quite a prominent politician of Maryland, died at his residence in Upper Marlborough, Prince George's County, that State, on Saturday last. He was born at Queen Anne on the 7th of April, 1800, and was consequently 61 years of age at the time of his death. By profession he was a lawyer. He graduated at Union College, New-York, in 1827, and, not long after, was admitted to practice. In his profession he was successful. He served as Deputy Attorney-General of his county, Prince George's, for sixteen years, and satisfactorily conducted many important cases. He was in the Maryland Legislature three terms, and represented his State in the Thirty-fourth and Thirty-fifth Congresses.

American Institute—The Success of the Fair.

The members of the American Institute met last evening in Room No. 24 Cooper Union, Hon. HORACE GREELEY in the chair.

The most important part of the proceedings was receiving the report of the managers of the Fair just closed. By this report it appears that the gross receipts amounted to $90,828 97; the expenses paid and estimated were $44,256 67, leaving a balance of $15,000 to be turned over to the Institute. In addition to this goods were purchased by the Institute to the amount of $6,000, making the total profits of the Fair $21,000.

The report was accepted, and a vote of thanks to the managers unanimously passed. Two hundred and ninety-four applications were presented for admission. The names were read and the whole number unanimously elected. The sum of $200 was voted as an appropriation to Mr. GEORGE THURSON for his services in receiving and disbursing the proceeds of the Fair. The Treasurer of the Institute presented his quarterly report, showing a balance on hand, exclusive of the Fair proceeds, amounting to $5,771 88. A committee of three was appointed to consider the propriety of having a course of free lectures delivered by the members of the Institute during the Winter. Mr. GREELEY suggested that for this purpose the Institute should have a hall of its own.

A vote of thanks was then proposed to Mr. CHARLES A. ENGOT, the Superintendent, for his efficiency and success in the performance of his duties. This met with opposition from Mr. WIARD, the inventor of the steam safety valve, who claimed that he did not have a fair test for his boiler, in not having been permitted to put an sufficient steam to give his invention a fair test. This gave rise to much animated discussion, which resulted in laying the resolution on the table, inasmuch as no report had yet been made by the Superintendent, and it would therefore be fair to all parties to defer discussion until such report was made. A subsequent attempt to reconsider the motion was lost and the meeting thereupon adjourned.

Organ Exhibition in Williamsburg.

The exhibition of the new organ in the First Reformed Church, Bedford-avenue, Brooklyn, E. D., took place last evening. The vocal performances were volunteered by the accomplished choir of Christ Church, in the same avenue, and the selections, which were from Rossini, Auber, Handel, Weber, Haydn, Hosse and Mendelssohn, were rendered with marked ability. The organ was built by GEORGE JARDINE & SON, and proved in the hands of Mr. GEORGE W. MORGAN an excellent instrument, both as regards sweetness of tone and musical power. The vocal efforts were the solo "He was despised and rejected of men," by Mrs. ROBERTS; a trio "O Father, O Holy Father," by Miss KELLOGG, Mrs. ROBERTS and Mr. DRUDRY; an aria from Elijah, "Hear ye, Israel," by Miss KELLOGG; a duet, "Quis est Homo," by Miss KELLOGG and Mr. ROBERTS, and a Christmas Carol, "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing," by Miss KELLOGG, Mrs. ROBERTS, and Messrs. DRUDRY and BATES. There was a large and appreciative audience, including many rigorous critics, and the result was a highly satisfactory one. The church is a magnificent edifice, and the organ is in every respect all that is required, or could be desired.

Presentation to Supervisor Smith.

Hon. HENRY SMITH, of the Board of Supervisors, was presented with a handsome Maltese Cross, last evening, by a large number of members of the Lincoln Club, of which he was the founder. The presentation took place at the Lincoln Club Rooms, at Union-square, being preceded by a very choice collation. Nearly one hundred well-known gentlemen were present on the occasion. Messrs. ISAAC J. OLIVER and J. SOLIS BETTENHAUSEN jointly presided. The former gentleman made the presentation address, Mr. SMITH responding in a few terse words. Subsequently addresses were made by General JOHN COCHRANE, Judge PITMAN, Colonel A. J. H. DUGANNE, Judge JOHN H. WHITE and General HENRY A. HARNUM, after which the entertainment terminated. The present was set with diamonds, and was designed in imitation of the Lincoln Club badge, having a gold medallion portrait of President LINCOLN in the centre. Messrs. I. J. OLIVER, A. H. KERCH, Mr. JOHN OLIVER and GEO. B. VAN BRUNT were among the gentlemen who first proposed the friendly testimonial.

Meeting of the Housesmiths' Association.

The Housesmiths' Association of the City of New-York met last evening at the half corner of Twenty-sixth-street and Seventh-avenue. JOHN MCCANN, Vice-President, occupied the chair. An election of officers to serve the ensuing six months took place, with the following result: GEORGE LINTON, President; HENRY ARMSTRONG, Vice-President; J. J. TOOMEY, Treasurer; JOSEPH DALTON, Secretary; A. MCLAID, Financial Secretary, and PATRICK MURPHY, Sergeant-at-Arms; after which, Messrs. LINTON, MACKAY and MCCANN were elected delegates to represent the Association in the Workingmen's Union.

A Man Stabbed at Yonkers.

An altercation occurred on Wednesday at Yonkers between RICHARD BRODERICK, a teamster, and PETER WHALEN, a hatter, which resulted in BRODERICK being stabbed twice in the abdomen and right arm. The injured man was carried to his home. His wounds, although of a serious character, it is believed will not prove fatal. WHALEN fled immediately after committing the assault. The Police feel sanguine of capturing the fugitive. Both men are said to have been under the influence of liquor at the time of the affray.

Varnishers' and Polishers' Association.

This Association, which consists of an American branch, numbering about 145 members, and a German branch, numbering about 500 members, held a meeting at Early Closing Hall, No. 207 Bowery, last night, in order to consolidate both branches, and to have only one set of officers. The attendance being small, action was deferred till a future meeting. The wages of the members of the Association amount to from $17 to $21 a week at present.

A Train Thrown from the Track of the Long Island Railroad.

On Tuesday evening last, as the train on the above road which leaves Hunter's Point at 5:30 was nearing Hicksville, the engine and baggage car were thrown from the track, by a tie which had been placed there by some scoundrel, but fortunately doing no other damage than a detention of the train for several hours. The perpetrator of the act has not yet been arrested.

Navy Yard Intelligence.

The *Albany* took in coal yesterday, and will leave for the West Indies to-morrow.

The *Swatara* is now in the dry dock. Among other improvements and alterations she is to have a new propeller.

The *Nantucket*, reported as having arrived off the Battery from Boston, was expected at the Navy Yard last evening.

LOCAL NEWS IN BRIEF.

New-York.

JOSEPHINE CLIFTON, a homeless woman, having made two attempts to drown herself in the North River, near Desbrosses-street, was yesterday committed to the care of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction.

Officer MCSALEY, of the Sixth Ward, arrested PETER FRUT, an Italian, whom he accused of having assaulted CORNELIUS GRAY, the man who died on Wednesday night at No. 89 Baxter-street, from the effects of his injuries. The prisoner was committed by Alderman COULTER. CHRISTOPHER MCGUIRE, who is also accused of assaulting the deceased, is still in the Tombs. An inquest will be held to-day.

Mr. GEORGE WM. CURTIS read his essay on "Civil Service" before the Society of Mechanics and Tradesmen, at Steinway Hall, last evening. An abstract of the essay has already appeared in the TIMES.

An examination was held before United States Commissioner OSBORN yesterday, in the case of SAMUEL HELD, of No. 149 East Houston-street, charged with exposing unstamped tobacco for sale. SAMUEL HELD, a member of the Secret Service, recently accused of an attempt at blackmail, was the only witness against the defendant. On the cross-examination he denied that he had given the defendant his address, requesting him to call and see him, but the defence produced two witnesses who testified that they had seen the complainant write his address. The prisoner was subsequently discharged.

JACOB SAMUEL, of No. 141 Elizabeth-street, accidentally fell from a second story window, at No. 46 Watts-street, and sustained severe injuries. He was taken home.

The Court of General Sessions was open a short time yesterday morning, but there were no trials held or sentences imposed. Judge BEDFORD presided. The Court will sit again this morning.

The New-York College of Dentistry has an infirmary attached to it, 28 wheels, during the last two years, gratuitous treatment was received by nearly three thousand patients. The infirmary is now open, and all the poor are invited to receive gratuitous treatment. Students of the College propose having a grand festival in the College building, which will open on the 16th inst., when the usual course of lectures will be resumed.

A demijohn of kerosene oil exploded last evening in the store of JOHN W. UPHAM, in Avenue A, near Tenth-street, when a damage of $200 was occasioned to the stock. Insured for $600 in the Hanover.

HANNAH BAWLEN, aged 40, of No. 102 Cherry-street, died suddenly last evening from the effects of intemperance.

Rev. G. B. WILSON, of New-London, Conn., has accepted the call from the Tabernacle Congregational Church of Jersey City. Salary $4,000.

MARY HINGERMAN, aged 38, was found dead in her bed, at No. 17 Vandewater-street, last evening.

New-Jersey.

Mr. BALDWIN, President of Orange, has, it is said, given to the New-York Women's Hospital the sum of $34,000 for the purpose of enlarging the building.

ABRAHAM LEVI was arrested in Newark, yesterday morning, on a charge of forging, some weeks since, in good, at the saloon of P. W. FERRIS, No. 466 Court-street, in that city, a Westfield greenback. United States Commissioner WHITEHEAD held him in $2,000 bail to await examination.

The Soldiers' Monument in Fairmount Cemetery, Newark, will be unveiled to-day with impressive ceremonies. It is a granite structure, weighing thirty-five tons, and having a height of about forty feet. It has cost about $4,000. The exercises connected with the dedication will be of exceeding interest. The Newark militia will turn out in force, and the municipal officials are expected to participate. R. J. MERRILLS, the sculptor, will unveil the monument, and Ex-Lieutenant-Governor WOODFORD, of New-York, will deliver the address.

JAMES FOX is now on trial before the Hudson County Court of Quarter Sessions on a charge of arson.

A foot-ball match between twenty-five of the best players from Rutgers College and the same number from Princeton College will take place to-morrow afternoon at New-Brunswick.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

LONDON, Nov. 4—11 A. M.—Consols open at 93¾ for money, and 93⅞ for the account. United States Five-twenties, 1865, old, 81¼; 1867, 81¾; 1868, 81¾. Illinois Centrals, 94¼; Atlantic and Great Western, 34¼.

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BREADSTUFFS—Wheat, 10s. 6d. ⅌ central for California White.

LONDON, Nov. 4—Sunset.—Consols open at 93¾ for money, and 93⅞ for the account. United States Five-twenties, 1865, old, 81¼; 1867, 81¾; 1868, 81¾. Illinois Centrals, 94¼; Atlantic and Great Western, 34¼.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

The salesroom yesterday presented quite a bright appearance. The contrast between it and the previous day was very marked. The election excitement had evidently passed over, the attendance was good, the bidding lively and the prices obtained very satisfactory.

To-day Messrs. MULLER, WILKINS & CO. will sell the first-class four-story high-stoop brownstone front house and lot situate on the east side of Park-avenue, between Thirty-fifth and Thirty-sixth streets, and known as No. 35. The house is about 21 feet deep, contains the modern improvements and is good order. Also, three lots situate on the south side of Fifty-eighth-street, commencing 125 feet east of Seventh-avenue, together with three gores in rear. The lots on Fifty-eighth-street are each 25 by 100.6 feet. The gore lots in the rear are each 38.2½ feet by from 30.2½ to 31½ feet in depth, extending to within a very few feet of Fifty-seventh-street, (which is 150 feet wide.)

To-morrow no sales will be made. The City excitement, if there is to be any, is not yet sufficient to encroach on that usually reserved sanctuary, a day of rest.

Auction Sales Yesterday.

NEW-YORK.

By James M. Miller.

House and lot, No. 128 Charles-st., between Washington and Greenwich sts, lot 25x58 ..... $9,100
Stable and lot, No. 127 Charles-st., lot 25x58 9,300

EAST NEW-YORK.

By Muller, Wilkins & Co.

8 lots, on Bennett-av., 175 ft. from Liberty-av., each 25x100 ..... $1,000
7 lots, in rear of above, on Sheppard-av., each 25x100 1,400
3 lots, on corner of Broadway and Sheppard-av., each 25x100 600
2 lots adjoining on Broadway, same size 350
2 lots corner Broadway and Elbert-av., each 25 x100 600
2 lots adjoining on Broad-way, each 25x100 350
5 lots on Sheppard-av., 100 ft. from Elbert-av., 25 feet from Broadway, each 25x100 1,700
1 lot corner Broadway and Sheppard-av., 25x100 750
2 lots adjoining on Broadway, each 25x100 350
1 lot corner of Broadway and Bennett-av., 25x100 750
2 lots adjoining the above, on Broadway, each 25x100 650
2 lots on Bennett-av., 200 ft. from Broadway, each 25x100 350
2 lots adjoining, each 25x100 350
2 lots on Sheppard-av., 100 ft. from Broadway, each 25x100 350
1 lot corner of Baltic and Sheppard-ave., 25x100 350
2 lots adjoining on Baltic-av., each 25x100 350
2 lots, corner Baltic and Bennett-ave., each 25x100 350
2 lots, corner of Baltic and Sheppard-ave., 25x100 350
2 lots adjoining on Baltic-av., each 25x100 350
4 lots, corner Baltic and Bennett-ave., each 25x100 650
8 lots on Bennett-av., 75 ft. from Baltic-av., each 25x100 1,000
2 lots on Broadway, between Sheppard and Elbert-ave., each 25x100 1,200
4 lots on Sheppard-ave., and 4 lots on Elbert-av., 100 ft. from Broadway, each 25x100 1,200
2 lots adjoining on Sheppard-av., each 25x100 600
4 lots on Elbert-av., 100 ft. from Bay-av., each 25x100 800
8 lots on Bay-av., between Bennett and Sheppard-ave., each 25x100 800
8 lots on Sheppard-av., 75 ft. from Bay-av., each 25x100 800
4 lots on Elbert-av., 125 ft. from Blake-av., each 25x100 750
4 lots on Blake and Bennett-ave., each 25x100 400
33 lots on Bennett-av., bet. Blake and Union-ave., each 25x100 1,200
34 lots in rear of above, on Sheppard, each 25x100 1,400
8 lots on Union-av., between Bennett and Sheppard-ave., each 25x100 800
4 lots on Bay, corner Elbert-av., each 25x100 400
1 lot, corner Bay and Sheppard-ave., each 25x100 400
7 lots on Sheppard-av., 50 ft. from Bay-av., each 25x100 700
8 lots in rear of above, on Bay reserve, each 25x100 800
8 lots on Bay-av., between Bennett and Sheppard-ave., each 25x100 800
8 lots on Bennett-av., 100 ft. from Bay-av., each 25x100 320
4 lots adjoining, each 25x100 300
8 lots on Sheppard-av., 100 ft. from Bay-av., each 25x100 320
4 lots corner of Union and Sheppard-ave., each 25 x100 320
4 lots corner of Union and Bennett-ave., each 25 x100 300

BLOOMFIELD, N. J.

By A. J. Bleecker, Son & Co.

Building and lot on Broad-st., 107 ft. s. of Osborne-st., lot 50x165 ..... $1,200
1 lot adjoining, 50x100 700

Transfers of Real Estate.

NEW-YORK CITY.

Cherry-st., Nos. 123, 125, 127, 129, 3, and 1, 98x102.2 ..... $600
Delancey-st., n. s., 50 ft. e. of Essex-st., 8. and 1, 25x70 25,000
Bennett-st., 50 ft. e. of, and Delancey-st., 50 ft. n. of, 25x100 ..... nom.
Washington-st., n. s., 25.4 ft. s. of Bank-st., 8. and 1, 25x100.4x30.4, 8. and 1, 25x100.4x30.4 3,500
4th-st., s. s., 45.9 ft. e. of 11th-st., 8. and 1, 17.2x90 13,000
10th-st., n. s., 293 ft. e. of Avenue B, 8. and 1, 20 x184 10,000
12th-st., n. s., 175 ft. w. of 5th-av., 25x77.6x88.2 10,000
16th-st., n. s., 300 ft. w. of 6th-av., 8x24 12,000
26th-st., s. s., 100 ft. w. of 1st-av., 8. and 1, 25x98.9 21,000
36th-st., s. s., 175.6 ft. w. of 1st-av., 8. and 1, 22.8 x98.9 18,000
38th-st., n. s., 175 ft. w. of 1st-av., 8. and 1 10,000
38th-st., n. s., 410 ft. w. of 6th-av., 25x98.9 ..... nom.
Bethune-st., n. s., 40 ft. w. of Lexington-av., 8. and 1, 20x90 22,000
46th-st., s. s., 225 ft. e. of Madison-av., 25x100.5
Avenue B and 8th-st., n. e. corner, 8. and 1, 47x90 70,000
Greenwich-st., w. s., 254 ft. n. of Troy-st., 25.10 x77 11,500
Greenwich-st., w. s., 91.6 ft. n. of Troy-st., 24.11x 80.4x77 12,000
4th-st., n. s., 125 ft. e. of 1st-av., 25x100 25,000
51st-st., n. s., 140 ft. e. of 10th-av., 25x100.5 ..... nom.
51st-st., n. s., 165 ft. e. of 10th-av., 25x100.5 2,000
117th-st., n. s., 150 ft. w. of 8th-av., 25.3x100.11 1,500
126th-st., n. s., 275 ft. e. of 6th-av., 50x99.11 25,000
Washington-st., n. s., 100 ft. w. of 10th-av., 25 feet 1,500
24th-st., n. s., 275 ft. e. of 10th-av., 25 feet 15,000
26th-av., w. s., 92 ft. n. of 17th-st., 8. and 1, 25x100 25,000

Assets distributed.

Broadway, No. 719, 3 years, per year $12,000
Cherry-st., No. 27, 5 years, per year 1,075
Greenwich-st., No. 321, 5 years, per year 1,200
Hester-st., No. 63, 4½ years; 1½ years, per year 1,800
Do. No. 65, 5 years 1,800
26th-st., and 17th-st., S. W. corner, 1½ years, per year 2,500

KINGS COUNTY.

Brooklyn.

Baltic and Butler sts., and Brooklyn and New-York ave., 1 block $54,700
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Centre and Columbia sts., h. c. cor., 20x100 20,000
Conselyea-st., s. s., 275 ft. w. of Graham-av., 25x 100, Oct. 29, 1866; Nov. 1, 1866 3,325
Dean-st., s. s., 254.6 ft. w. of Hoyt, h. and l., 25x 100 2,000
Ewen and Stage sts., s. w. cor., 20x77 15,000
Fulton-st., n. s., adjoining and south of Dime Savings Bank, 25.2x92.—x100 113,200
Herkimer-st. and Montrose-av., s. e. corner, 16.6 x100 4,000
Hall-st., s. s., 40 ft. e. of Greenpoint, three-story brown-stone, 20x100 15,000
Halsey-st., n. s., 325 ft. w. of Tompkins-av., 27.8 x100 12,000
Hooper-st., s. s., 175 ft. w. of Rutland-av., 19.2x100 2,400
Madison-st., s. s., 150 ft. w. of Ralph-av., 25x100 3,300
Moore-st., s. s., 125 ft. w. of Graham-av., Marion-st., corner, 25x100 1,100
Penn-st., s. s., 75 ft. w. of Vernon-av., 25x100 1,200
Stillman-st., s. s., bds 135 to 150, 8th Ward, 125 x100 ..... nom.
Palmetto-st., n. w. s., 275 ft. s. w. of Irving-av., 25x100 100
Pilling-st. and Seaver, s. s., 100 ft. e. of Bushwick-av., 50x100 28,000
Richardson-st., s. s., 425 ft. w. of Kingsland-av., 25x100 425
Scott-st., n. s., 100 ft. w. of Columbia-st., 8. and 1, 25x100 3,000
Warren-st., s. s., 100.8 ft. W. of Hoyt-st., 20.8x 100 9,700
3d place, n. s., 50 ft. w. of Court-st., h. and l., 18x 50 11,200
8th-st., n. s., 200 ft. w. of 3d-av., 25x100 2,700
32d-st., n. s., 100 ft. w. of 4th-av., 25x100 1,900
40th-st., centre line, 425 ft. n. w. of 7th-av., (Sunset) n. s., 50x100.3 600
40th-st., n. s., 425 ft. n. w. of 7th-av., (Sunset) n. s., 50x100.3 600
Atlantic and Stone-ave., s. e. corner, 42.8x 41.8x100 600
Atlantic and Stone-ave., s. w. corner, 100x50 x115x30.8 600
Atlantic-av., n. s., 200.8 w. of Grove-av., 51x 100 1,500
Atlantic-av., n. s., 155 ft. w. of Stone-av., 50x 100 1,500
Classon-av., e. s., 262.8 ft. n. of Myrtle-av., 25x 91.6 30
Clermont-av., e. s., 325 ft. n. of Greene-av., 25x 100 2,000
De Kalb-av., n. s., 200 ft. w. of Nostrand-av., 50x 100 3,000
Gates-av., n. s., 100 ft. w. of Nostrand-av., 25x 100 3,000
Gates-av., n. s., 25 ft. w. of Nostrand-av., 25x100 14,000
Hopkinson-av., w. s., 63 ft. n. of Atlantic-av., 25.4 x70x50x140.2x63, 8. c. 1,500
Hudson-av., e. s., 84 ft. s. of Myrtle-av., 24.4 x70 800
Lafayette-av., n. s., 250 ft. w. of Hopkinson-av., 50 x100 2,000
Lafayette-av., n. s., 350.8 ft. w. of Hopkinson-av., 50 x100 2,000
Willoughby-av., n. s., 275 ft. e. of Franklin-av., 25x100 2,500
Willoughby-av., n. s., 140 ft. w. of Bedford-av., 25x100 4,500
Oct. 31.
Putnam-av., n. s., 140 ft. w. of Nostrand-av., 25x 100, Oct. 29 7,000
Sheffield-av., e. s., 100 ft. n. of Dumont, 25x100 1,500
Sheppard-av., e. s., 325.9 ft. s. of Atlantic-av., 25 x100 1,500
Ad-st., and 12th-av., S. W. corner, 19 feet 2,000

WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

East Chester.

6th-av., w. s., 150 ft. N. 126, Central Mount Vernon, 50x100 ..... $100

West Farms.

West Farms to Hunter's Point, Block 7, lots Nos. 17 and 18, Badger's town map, 200x100 ..... $4,000

Yonkers.

Elm-st., n. s., 60 ft. e. of Linden-st., 27x92 ..... $400
Hawthorne-st., w. s., 100 ft. n. of Lamartine-st., 50x 100 300
Lot No. 128, map of Chester Downs, 25x100 300

NEW-JERSEY.

Bloomfield.

Orange road, s. s., Isabella, 5.400 acres $800

Clinton.

Isabella lot, 6 acres $1,000

West Orange.

Wild west-av., Isabella, 61.800 acres $30,000

South Orange.

South Orange-av., s. s., Isabella, 2 trees, 60 x100 acres $60,000

CITY REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE.

At a great bargain,
A VALUABLE HOTEL PROPERTY
ON WEST-ST., NEAR FULTON, AND TWO STORES ADJOINING.

A great opportunity for investment, either for immediate or future purposes.

Inquire of HOMER MORGAN, No. 3 Pine-st.

FOR SALE TO CLOSE AN ESTATE.—The executors of Thomas C. Morton, deceased, offer for sale, with a view to close the estate, the large corner of Flatbush and Fulton sts, No. 52 William-st., to the corner of Flatbush, 81.8x117 feet front, N. feet rear, about 120 feet in depth. This is one of the most eligible corners for investment, improvement and large rental in the city.

Also, the first-class store and lot in rear 20 ft. by 100 ft., about 80 ft. from street, in height, 3 stories, on Maiden-lane. Inquire of HOMER MORGAN, No. 3 Pine-st.

LARGE CORNER ON BROADWAY.—For sale, a most desirable valuable corner, fully improved, opposite the great wholesale dry goods house, three stories high, will exchange for good unencumbered real estate, or for good City property, in part payment. Inquire of HOMER MORGAN, No. 3 Pine-st.

A VERY FINE THREE-STORY HIGH-stoop brick house, in perfect order, to be sold at a remarkably low price, $14,000, easy terms; would positively suit to buy lot and build house about $14,000; good neighborhood; all improvements. Apply on premises, No. 230 3d-st., near Broadway cars.

FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS.—A FOUR-story high-stoop brown-stone house, situate in East 9th-st., between 8th-av. and Broadway. Lot full size and in fee. Inquire of HOMER MORGAN, No. 3 Pine-st.

ELEGANT NEW HOUSES FOR SALE.—Parties intending to purchase, preparing and requested to examine the new block of houses on west side of Madison-av., between 23d and 24th sts.

COUNTRY REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE—AT FLUSHING, L. I., A complete home with all the modern improvements, in complete order, with greenhouse, icehouse and out-buildings; grounds tastefully arranged with fine large trees and extensive garden. Will be sold with or without adjoining lot, if desired, consisting of 6 acres of land or more; house distant from the depot 1 mile from the depot. Address

H. V. LEAVITT & CO.,
No. 133 Walker, New-York.

ORANGE, N. J.—VILLAS, VILLA SITES and farms, a great variety, beautifully situated one hour from N. Y., for sale low; lakes, streams and woods to let for the season, or year, by BLACKWELL & SMITH, 252 Broadway, N. Y., 9 to 11 A. M. Orange office, Main and Cross sts., 1 to 4 P. M.

FOR SALE—AT MONTROSE, N. J., ON the Delaware, a new elegant new residence, with all modern improvements, about 500 yards from the depot; or will rent at $50 per month until May 1. AT. EBERT I. GIBBS, No. 94 Pine-st.

TWO OF THE CHEAPEST AND MOST desirable country seats and farms on Hudson River for sale; each side, two hours from City. Apply at No. 65 Warren-st.

DWELLINGS TO LET.

TO RENT—FOR A YEAR OR FOR THE WINTER, an elegant residence on the west shore of the Hudson, 24 miles south of New-York and within two hours' ride of New-York by Hudson and Erie Railroads or by boat; the house is large and well furnished, with stable, carriages, horses, &c.; terms reasonable. Apply to HOMER MORGAN, No. 3 Pine-st., or to M. VERPLANCK, No. 8 Park-place, or P. A. VERPLANCK, on premises.

TO RENT—AT MONTCLAIR, N. J., A PLEASant cottage handsomely furnished, with furniture, &c., ready for occupation immediately. Apply to GEO. M. CLEARMAN, 256 110 Wall-st.

TO LET—FOR ONE, TWO OR THREE years, No. 15 West 30th-st., 25x100; house brown stone; four stories; unfurnished; doctor's office reserved. Apply from 9 to 4 o'clock.

COLLECTION OF RENTS, ETC., A SPECIALCY, by OLIVER HOLDEN, Notary Public, No. 181 West 40th-st.

STORES, &C., TO LET.

TO LET OR LEASE—FOR A TERM OF years, the building No. 805 Broadway, between 19th and 18th sts., with immediate possession. For further particulars and terms apply to H. H. CAMMANN, No. 31 Pine-st.

OFFICE TO LET.—TWO FRONT ROOMS on the second floor, No. 3 New Chambers-st. Inquire on the premises of LEKOW & VOIGT, or of W. L. CONKLIN, No. 16 4th-av.

A PHYSICIAN'S OFFICE, ON PARlor floor to let, with privilege of parlor, at No. 45 West 26th-st.

HOUSES & ROOMS WANTED.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE—A FOUR-story high-stoop stone or brick house, with or without stable, between 6th and Madison ave. and 20th and 40th sts., not less than 25 feet wide, unfurnished; possession in November. Address Box 4,000 Post Office, stating lowest cash price, with description and location.

REAL ESTATE AT AUCTION.

MOSES WEILER, Auctioneer.

SALE IN PARTITION, BY ORDER OF THE SUPREME COURT, UNDER THE DIRECTION OF J. L. LEFFERTS, ESQ., REFEREE—VALUABLE PROPERTY OF PROSPECT PARK TO BALEMON-ST., GRACE-COURT AND BERGEN-ST., BROOKLYN, PLATBUSH TURNPIKE, VERNON-AV. LOTT AND PROSPECT-ST., FLATBUSH, BEING A PART OF THE ESTATE OF ELIZABETH LUDLOW, DECEASED.

E. H. LUDLOW & CO. will sell at auction on THURSDAY, Nov. 15, 1866, at 12 o'clock, at the City Salesroom, Brooklyn Building, No. 32 Court-st., opposite City Hall, Brooklyn:

PROSPECT-PARK.—Valuable plot, comprising over twelve lots, and having a front of 315 feet on the Park, adjoining Prospect-st. and Flatbush-av.

JORALEMON-ST.—Four lots, with the front dwellings and brick stables thereon, situate on the north side of Joralemon-st., 120.8 feet westerly from Clinton-st., each 20 feet by 50 feet; 117 feet, with right of alley in the rear. Also, small gore adjoining some of said lots on rear, and fronting on alley.

GRACE-COURT.—One lot on the northerly side of Grace-court, 40 feet westerly from Hicks-st., 20x62 feet.

BERGEN-ST.—Eight lots and gores on the southerly side of Bergen-st., between Carlton and Vanderbilt avs., together having a frontage of 201.9 feet on Bergen-st.

FLATBUSH.

FLATBUSH TURNPIKE.—Plot of grading, containing about 1 acre, forty-five city lots, fronting Flatbush turnpike, Vernon-av. and Lott-st. These lots will be sold in parcels. There is in the plot corner of Flatbush turnpike and Vernon-av., a LARGE AND HANDSOME DWELLING, WITH ALL MODERN HOTEL AND EXCELLENT OUTBUILDINGS.

PROSPECT-ST.—Small lot, 16x48 feet, easterly side of Prospect-st., 180 feet from Union-st.

Half cash will be the purchaser money can remain on bond and mortgage.

Maps and full particulars at the office of the auctioneers, No. 3 Pine-st., New-York; A. & J. Z. Lott, attorneys, No. 15 Willoughby-st., Brooklyn.

J. JOHNSON, Jr., AUCTIONEER.

BY JOHNSON & BUTLER, No. 25 BARCLAY-ST., NEW-YORK,
TUESDAY, NOV. 6,
at 12 o'clock at Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway.

IMPORTANT ABSOLUTE SALE,
FIFTY CHOICE BUILDING LOTS,
adjoining the
CITY OF BROOKLYN,
being one of the most desirable
EAST NEW-YORK AND UTICA AVS. AND FURNALD-ST.

East New-York-st is the principal thoroughfare leading to the grand southwesterly entrance of Prospect Park. The property to be sold is located within 25 minutes' drive of the south or Hamilton-av. ferries, over one of the finest avenues in the United States, viz., Union-st., which is paved with Nicolson pavement, and runs direct from the ferry through Prospect Park, Flatbush, Flatlands, Canarsie, and to the doors of New-York City. The lots will front for garden purposes for three years, at the annual rents. The grades are good and the property is desirable for investment as any now in the market. Many wealthy capitalists from New-York and Hartford, Conn., have made large purchases in the vicinity.

Also, at same time and place,

BALANCE OF THE PROPERTY SITUATED AT GREAT NECK, L. I.,
formerly belonging to Hon. REUL WOOD, consisting of
120 DESIRABLE LOTS.

All of the above property will be sold absolutely, regardless of price.

Maps and particulars at the office of JOHNSON & BUTLER, No. 25 Barclay-st., New-York.

YONKERS PROPERTY FOR SALE.—By order of Supreme Court, under partition.—The valuable farm formerly occupied by Peter A. Overing, consisting of about 100 acres, with the dwelling, barns and outbuildings thereon, situated on the road leading from the Tuckahoe road to Mile Square, will be sold on the premises, by JAMES M. MILLER, auctioneer, on TUESDAY, 13th November, 1866, at 1 o'clock P. M.

This farm is distant about 3½ miles from Yonkers Station, on the Hudson Railroad, and about three miles from the village of Yonkers, and is in the thickest neighborhood of new railroad lines now in contemplation. There are upon it many beautiful building sites, with very commanding views, and the land will be sold in parcels varying from five to twenty acres, according to the wishes of the purchasers, or of the committee. A new road has been lately laid out from Yonkers to Scarsdale, crossing Central-avenue and passing through the farm in the direction of Tuckahoe, and which will reduce the distance from Yonkers to about five miles. This new road is now open, and the farm will be sold with these roads in its vicinity.

For terms of sale and all other information inquire of W. L. & F. M. COWDREY, No. 67 Wall-st., New-York.

MOSES WEILER, Auctioneer.

SALE IN PARTITION, BY ORDER OF THE SUPREME COURT, UNDER THE DIRECTION OF J. L. LEFFERTS, ESQ., REFEREE.

E. H. LUDLOW & CO. will sell at auction, on TUESDAY, Nov. 6, 1866, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Salesroom, Brooklyn Building, No. 32 Court-st.:

DUANE-ST.—The valuable front dwelling and yard, known as No. 10 Duane-st., south side, between West Broadway and Hudson-st., being 24.11 feet 4½ in front, by 100 feet in depth, and 24.11 feet 4½ in rear. Terms at sale. A. & J. Z. LOTT, Attorneys, Rooms 15 and 16 Willoughby-st., Brooklyn.

REAL ESTATE AT AUCTION.

A. J. BLEECKER, Auctioneer.

Splendid Property
IN WESTCHESTER COUNTY
AT AUCTION.

A. J. BLEECKER, SON & CO.,
WILL SELL AT AUCTION
On Thursday, Nov. 11, at 12 M.,
At the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway,

94 ACRES

of very choice land, in the town of Ossining, Westchester County, situated on the highway, directly in the rear of and overlooking the elegant country seat of J. Butler Wright, Esq., and lying between the lands of Mrs. Bishop and Warren D. Ragan, Esq., on the north; of Abraham Leggitt, Esq., and land of the late Thomas Horton, Esq., on the south, and adjoining the estate of Wm. E. Aspinwall, Esq. It is a beautifully diversified tract, and susceptible of subdivision into numerous villa plots and cottage sites, the undulating character of the land, its superb knolls and beautiful slopes affording every variety of picturesque scenery. It is at present divided into three plots of about thirty acres each, well adapted by their respective portions of lawn, meadow and wood for three separate country seats. Its surroundings are of the best character in this celebrated neighborhood. A new road is projected between this property and that of the adjoining owners on the north, and a fine avenue to new winding east of Mr. Aspinwall's land. There is an Episcopal Church (with a parsonage adjoining it) on the premises in the immediate vicinity. It has a right of way to the Highland Turnpike, between the lands of Mr. Wright and the church, at about half a mile's distance from the Hudson River, Scarborough Station, on the Hudson River Railroad, is about half a mile off.

It is intended that the sale shall be absolute, the owner (English capitalist) residing abroad. The title is beyond question, and the terms of sale will be liberal.

Maps of the property can be obtained at the office of the auctioneers, No. 37 Cedar-st., New-York.

SALE OF THE UNITED STATES ARMORY AND OTHER GROUNDS AT HARPER'S FERRY, WEST VA., AND VICINITY.

ORDNANCE OFFICE,
WASHINGTON, Sept. 25, 1866.

In pursuance of the act approved Dec. 18, 1865, and by direction of the Secretary of War, the property of the United States at Harper's Ferry, West Va., and vicinity, will be sold by public auction, on TUESDAY, the 20th day of November, 1866, commencing at 10 o'clock A. M., and continuing from day to day until all is sold.

The value of this property for manufacturing purposes is too well known to render it necessary to describe it. A descriptive pamphlet of the same is being prepared, and will be sent to persons who may wish it, as soon as it is printed, upon their applying by letter to this office.

The timber will be sold in lots. The first will include the Musket Factory, embracing a strip of land running to the western boundary, on the Potomac, the Armory Canal, and water power of the river. The walls of two large buildings are standing on this ground, and the foundations of several others; and the water wheels, with gearing, and the flumes are in almost perfect order. Three of them are turbines, of the most approved kind, and the others are mostly cast iron with wooden buckets.

The second will be the site of the Rifle Factory and water power on the Shenandoah, the buildings upon which have been destroyed, but the canal is in good order.

The third will be the Shenandoah Ferry, with a tract of 61 acres of land on the south, and a lot on the Harper's Ferry shore opposite.

The fourth will be the perpetual right to cut and remove wood from a tract of 1,350 acres mountain land across the Shenandoah.

The fifth will be the right to dig iron ore from a tract of about 1,400 acres of land known as Friend's Ore Bank, acquired by deed from Henry Lee and others.

The remainder, consisting of houses and lots in the town, will be sold lot by lot.

The ground will be delivered to the purchasers, after payment shall have been made in full, all the right and title to the property, which is believed to be perfect in every case.

The sales will be conducted by law, are a credit of one and two years, the purchasers to give bond and security for the payment of the purchase money; and these terms must be complied with within ten days after the sale.

A map, showing the metes and bounds of the Harper's Ferry property, will be exhibited at the time of sale.

The Government reserves the right to withdraw any or all lots offered, if the bids are not satisfactory.

A. B. DYER,
Brevet Major-General, Chief Ordnance.

NOTICE TO DELINQUENTS.

Persons who purchased lots in 1865, and have not fulfilled their contracts, are hereby notified that if they do not before the day of sale, the lots will be forfeited to them, otherwise they will be taken.

A. B. DYER,
Brevet Major-General, Chief Ordnance.

AUCTION SALES.

HENRY H. LEEDS, Auctioneer—Salesrooms Nos. 49 Chambers and 77 Reade-st.; Art Galleries, Nos. 817 and 819 Broadway.

ART NOTICE.—BY HENRY H. LEEDS & BRO.,
EXECUTOR'S SALE OF FINE PAINTINGS, ON THURSDAY AND FRIDAY EVENINGS, Nov. 11 and 12, at 7½ o'clock each evening, at the LEEDS ART GALLERIES, NOS. 817 AND 819 BROADWAY,
SPECIAL SALE, BY ORDER OF EXECUTOR, OF A SUPERB COLLECTION OF EUROPEAN AND AMERICAN PAINTINGS, by some of the most favorite artists, viz.:

G. Achenbach,	Velasco,	F. E. Church,
Carl Hubner,	Leickert,	A. B. Durand,
O. Bacon,	Vermulen,	J. F. Kensett,
J. Bonnat,	Verlat,	Gignoux,
Ch. Jacque,	Berlin,	Stanley,
H. De Cock,	Van Soleen,	De Haas,
C. Zhas,	Gleeter,	J. B. Irving,
H. Bonier,	E. Schmidt,	W. T. Richards,
Hamburg,	C. Bergman,	J. H. Beard,
Muste,	Kruseman,	S. Colman,
Lambert-de-Mets,	Van Marcke,	Dolph,
Carabain,	Vandeyklyken,	J. Smith,
Verboeckhoven,	Van Milde,	C. C. Griswold,
Schaep,	Cesbronts,	Inman,
	and others.	

NOW ON EXHIBITION DAY AND EVENING AS ABOVE.

HENRY H. LEEDS, Auctioneer—Salesrooms, Nos. 49 Chambers and 77 Reade-sts.; Art Galleries, Nos. 817 and 819 Broadway.

BY HENRY H. LEEDS & BROTHER.

ON SATURDAY, Nov. 4, 12 noon o'clock, at their salesrooms Nos. 49 Chambers and 77 Reade-sts.

ELEGANT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.—Comprising 2 elegant walnut parlor suits, Brussels carpets, Turkish rugs, elegant gilt-frame pier mirrors, Axminster, velvet and Brussels carpets, brocatel window curtains, clocks, linen goods, mattresses, pillows, bolsters, &c., silver-plated ware, cutlery, glassware, &c., &c.

Also, at 12 o'clock, several rosewood and mahogany frame pianos.

CLINTON HALL BOOK SALE ROOMS
Cozzens' Art Galleries, LEAVITT, STREBEIGH & CO., Auctioneers.

AUTOGRAPH SALE.

FRIDAY and SATURDAY EVENINGS, Nov. 2 and 3, sale of a private collection of autograph letters, manuscripts, &c., some of great value, comprising letters of Presidents, Generals, Colonial Governors, Statesmen, Signers of Constitution and Congresses, celebrated Authors, Statesmen, &c., &c.; also, a very fine collection of continental money. Catalogues ready. Autographs on exhibition.

EDWARD M. BROWN, Auctioneer.

BULL & BINTURN, BROWN & CO.—THIS DAY, (Friday,) Nov. 2, at 11 o'clock, within store:

1,000 packages Malaga Raisins.
100 kegs Malaga Grapes.
50 barrels Malaga Grapes.
150 boxes fresh Malaga Lemons.

DIVIDENDS.

OFFICE OF THE UNITED STATES EXPRESS COMPANY, No. 82 BROADWAY, NEW-YORK, Oct. 30, 1866.

THE DIRECTORS OF THE UNITED States Express Company have declared a Quarterly Dividend of Five and One-half (5½) per Cent., payable at the office of Wells, Fargo & Co., No. 64 Broadway, New-York, on and after MONDAY, Nov. 12, previous. The transfer books will close on Friday, Nov. 2, and remain closed until Tuesday, Nov. 13.

GEO. G. FARNHAM, Treasurer.

OFFICE OF THE WILKESBARRE COAL AND IRON CO., No. 52 BROADWAY, NEW-YORK, Oct. 30, 1866.

A DIVIDEND OF FIVE PER CENT. free from government tax, payable on and after Nov. 15, 1866, has this day been declared. The books from 3 Oct. to 15 Nov. inclusive, will be closed from Nov. 1 to 15, inclusive.

By order of the Board of Directors.

H. M. WILLIAMS, Treasurer, pro tem.

THE NASSAU BANK, NEW-YORK, Oct. 30, 1866.

THIRTY-THIRD DIVIDEND.—The Board of Directors have this day declared a Semi-annual Dividend of Four per Cent. (free of taxes) payable to the stockholders or their legal representatives on and after the 10th of November.

The transfer books will be closed until Nov. 11.

F. M. HARRIS, Cashier.

THIRD DIVIDEND.—The Board of Directors of the First Mortgage Six Per Cent. Gold Bonds of the Leavenworth and St. Joseph Railroad Company, this day, declared a dividend of Three Per Cent. on the said bonds, payable in gold, free of all taxes, on and after the 15th inst., from the office of the Company, No. 52 Broadway, New-York.

C. H. WALBRIDGE, Treasurer.

THIRD DIVIDEND.—The Board of Directors of the First Mortgage Six Per Cent. Gold Bonds of the Leavenworth and St. Joseph Railroad Company, this day, declared a dividend of Three Per Cent. on the said bonds, payable in gold, free of all taxes, on and after the 15th inst., from the office of the Company, No. 52 Broadway, New-York.

C. H. WALBRIDGE, Treasurer.

DENTISTRY.

COLTON DENTAL ASSOCIATION
Administer the laughing gas for painless extraction of teeth, 25 cents. Artificial teeth, the best extract teeth, and fill gold fillings, on the most approved principles, at the lowest prices consistent with first-class operations. Office, No. 18 Cooper Institute.

LOST AND FOUND.

$20 REWARD.—LOST, NOV. 2, BETWEEN 8th and 14th sts., a lady's GOLD WATCH with initials J. A. D. on the back. The above reward will be paid if left at No. 8 West 20th-st.

FINANCIAL.

A LIMITED AMOUNT OF THE
7-30 GOLD BONDS
Of the Chicago, Danville and Vincennes Railroad are offered for sale by Messrs. W. BAILEY LANG & CO., Merchants, No. 34 Cliff-st., New-York.

They are $1,000 Bonds, issued upon a railroad nearly one-half completed, traversing a country unsurpassed by any in the first counties of a large and profitable State.

They are secured by first mortgage on 240 miles of this first-class road, its equipment, and all present and future acquired property of the Company.

They bear a high rate of interest for a long period of time—seven per cent. gold for forty years—and a small ratio to the cash value of the realty upon which they are issued.

They dilute an interest liability of the Company of only $1,240 per mile, or less than one-third that of some great roads of the country whose bonds have ranked very high.

These facts, added to the safeguards thrown around each and every bond, combine to render these UNEQUALED SECURITIES, and really the most desirable in the market for investment.

Price 95 and accrued interest in currency, the right being reserved to advance, upon due notice.

Pamphlets, with maps and full detail, furnished on application.

Having personally examined this entire line of road, finished and projected, as well as the country through which it runs, we offer these securities with every confidence in their full worth and soundness.

W. BAILEY LANG & CO.,
Agents for the sale of the Bonds.

BANKING HOUSE OF
JAY COOKE & CO.
NEW-YORK, PHILADELPHIA AND WASHINGTON.
NO. 20 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK.

We buy, sell and exchange, at most liberal rates, all issues of

GOVERNMENT BONDS
and bonds of Lake Superior and Mississippi Railroad Company, and execute orders for purchase and sale of

STOCKS, BONDS AND GOLD.

WE NEGOTIATE RAILROAD AND MUNICIPAL LOANS, receive deposits, subject to check, allowing interest, and transact a general banking business.

JAY COOKE & CO.

MACOUPIN COUNTY
10 PER CENT. BONDS.
HOWES & MACY, BANKERS,
NO. 30 WALL-ST.,

Offer for sale at par and accrued interest Bonds of Macoupin County, Ill., issued for the building of a court house, bearing interest at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum, (being the lawful rate of the State of Illinois.)

COUPONS PAYABLE SEMI-ANNUALLY,
ON THE 1ST OF APRIL AND OCTOBER IN THE CITY OF NEW-YORK.

These bonds are issued in denominations of $100 and upwards, and are very desirable for investors.

(7) SEVEN PER CENT.
NEW-YORK CITY STOCKS.
FOR SALE.
CITY is OF 1870 RECEIVED IN PAYMENT.
GEORGE K. SISTARE,
No. 24 Nassau-st.

TRUSTEE CERTIFICATES
OF THE
AMERICAN EXPRESS COMPANY,

Representing the interest of Stockholders in assets of the Company, previous to Dec. 25, 1865, bought and sold at the office of WILLIAMS & BOSTWICK, Nos. 40 and 42 Exchange-place, New-York.

DREXEL, WINTHROP & CO.,
NO. 15 WALL-ST.,
Issue letters of credit for
TRAVELERS,
Available in all the principal cities of Europe, through
DREXEL, HARJES & CO.,
NO. 31 RUE SCRIBE,
PARIS.

BOWLES BROTHERS & CO.,

Paris, No. 12 Rue de la Paix; New-York, No. 19 William-st.; Boston, No. 70 State-st.

Issue bills on Paris and the Union Bank of London in sums to suit purchasers, and letters of credit for travelers, available throughout the world. Letters to travelers registered on receipt and delivery. Agents for the Times in Europe.

AUGUST BELMONT & CO.,
Issue Letters of Credit for Travelers' use, on
MESSRS. ROTHSCHILD,
in Paris, London, Frankfort-on-the-Main, Vienna and their correspondents in all the principal cities of Europe; also, Letters of Credit for Travelers in CALIFORNIA AND EUROPE.

BROWN BROTHERS & CO.,
NO. 59 WALL-ST.,
Issue COMMERCIAL and TRAVELERS' CREDITS AVAILABLE in all PARTS of the WORLD.

NO. 40 WALL-ST.

NEW-YORK, Nov. 1, 1866.

The firm of W. B. MOTT & CO. is this day dissolved by mutual consent. W. B. MOTT,
WM. H. MARTIN.

The undersigned will continue the Stock, Commission and Brokerage business, at No. 40 Wall-st., under the firm name of MARTIN & BUNTON.

W. H

SHIPPING.

GUIGNON LINE.
THE ROYAL MAIL AND NORTH AMERICAN STEAMSHIPS,
BETWEEN NEW-YORK AND LIVERPOOL, CALLING AT CORK HARBOR.
Cuba, Wednesday, Nov. 10 | Parisian, Thursday, Nov. 25
Siberia, Thursday, Nov. 11 | Saxonia, Wednesday, Dec. 1
Manhattan, Wednesday, Nov. 17 | Anglia, Thursday, Dec. 2
Malta, Thursday, Nov. 18 | Scotia, Wednesday, Dec. 8
Russia, Wednesday, Nov. 24 | Tyrolia, Thursday, Dec. 9
By the Wednesday steamers, Red Cabins, $80; Steerage, First Cabin, $80 gold. Steerage, $30 gold.
First Cabin, to Paris.....$125, gold
Steerage tickets from Liverpool and Queenstown, $35, currency.
First Cabin, to Paris.....$125, currency
Through bills of lading to Antwerp, Rotterdam, Glasgow, Havre, Antwerp and other parts on the Continent, and for Mediterranean ports.
For freight and cabin passage apply at the Company's Office, No. 4 Bowling-green.
For steerage passage at No. 111 Broadway, Trinity Building.
CHAS. G. FRANCKLYN, Agent.
Steamer of Nov. 17 will not carry passengers.

FOR LIVERPOOL AND QUEENSTOWN.
NATIONAL LINE—Regular Line of Mail Steamers are expected to sail as follows:
CITY OF PARIS.....Saturday, Nov. 6, 7 P. M.
CITY OF BROOKLYN.....Saturday, Nov. 13, 1 P. M.
CITY OF BOSTON, (via Halifax).....Tuesday, Nov. 16, 4 P. M.
And each succeeding SATURDAY and alternate TUESDAY, from Pier No. 45 North River.
RATES OF PASSAGE
BY THE MAIL STEAMS SAILING EVERY SATURDAY.
PAYABLE IN GOLD. First Cabin.....$80 To London.....105 To Paris.....115
PAYABLE IN CURRENCY. First Cabin.....$80 To London.....85 To Paris.....95
PASSAGE BY THE TUESDAY STEAMER, VIA HALIFAX.
FIRST CABIN. PAYABLE IN GOLD. Liverpool.....$80 St. John's, N. F.....10 French Steamer.....20
STEERAGE. PAYABLE IN CURRENCY. Liverpool.....$30 Halifax.....20 St. John's, N. F.....20 French Steamer.....20
Passengers also for Havre, Hamburg, Bremen, &c., at reduced rates.
Tickets can be bought here at moderate rates by persons wishing to send for their friends.
For further information apply at the Company's Office.
JOHN G. DALE, Agent,
No. 15 Broadway, New-York.

ONLY DIRECT LINE TO FRANCE.
THE GENERAL TRANSATLANTIC COMPANY'S MAIL STEAMSHIPS BETWEEN NEW-YORK AND HAVRE, CALLING AT BREST.
The splendid steamships of this favorite route for the Continent will sail from Pier No. 50 North River as follows:
VILLE DE PARIS, BURNOUF.....SATURDAY, Nov. 13
LAFAYETTE.....BOURAN.....SATURDAY, Nov. 27
ST. LAURENT.....LEMAIRE.....SATURDAY, Dec. 11
FRESNEL.....DUCHESNE.....SATURDAY, Dec. 25
Rates of passage (payable in gold, including wine,) TO BREST OR HAVRE, first cabin, $100; second cabin, $60.
TO PARIS, including railway ticket, $105 and $75.
These steamers do not carry steerage passengers.
American travelers going to or returning from the Continent of Europe by taking the steamers of this line, avoid both transit by English railways and the discomforts of crossing the Channel, both involving time, trouble and expense.
GEO. MACKENZIE, Agent, No. 58 Broadway.

STEAM TO GLASGOW AND LONDONDERRY.
THE ANCHOR LINE.
Favorite Clyde-built passenger Steamers are expected to sail as follows:
INDIA.....Nov. 6 | BRITANNIA.....Nov. 27
CALEDONIA.....Nov. 13 | COLUMBIA.....Dec. 4
IOWA.....Nov. 20 | EUROPA.....Dec. 11
and each SATURDAY thereafter, from Pier No. 20 North River, at 12 o'clock, noon.
RATES OF PASSAGE (PAYABLE IN CURRENCY).
Cabins, to Liverpool, Glasgow or Derry, $80 and $75.
Excursion tickets, good for 12 months, $135.
Steerage, to Glasgow or Derry, $30; intermediate, $35.
Certificates from Glasgow or Liverpool to Paris, $20.
Passengers booked to and from Hamburg, Havre, Rotterdam, Antwerp, &c., at very low rates.
Drafts issued payable at any bank in Great Britain and Ireland.
For further information apply on the steamers, foot of Dey-st., or at the Company's offices, No. 7 Bowling-green, New-York. HENDERSON BROTHERS.

STEAM TO LIVERPOOL.
CALLING AT QUEENSTOWN.
From Pier No. 42 North River, WEDNESDAY
COLORADO.....1,500 tons.....Nov. 10, at 11 A. M.
NEBRASKA.....1,500 tons.....Nov. 17, at 2½ P. M.
MANHATTAN.....1,500 tons.....Nov. 24, at 2½ P. M.
IDAHO.....2,152 tons.....Dec. 1, at 2 P. M.
MINNESOTA.....2,500 tons.....Dec. 8, at 7:00 A. M.
NEVADA.....2,152 tons.....Dec. 15, at 2 P. M.
CABIN PASSAGE.....(Gold) $80.
STEERAGE.....(Currency) $30.
Saloons and State Rooms all on deck.
Steerage Passage Office, No. 29 Broadway.
For freight or cabin passage apply to
WILLIAMS & GUION, No. 65 Wall-st.

NATIONAL LINE.
STEAM TO LIVERPOOL AND QUEENSTOWN, From Pier No. 47 North River.
VIRGINIA, Webster, Saturday, Nov. 6, at 7½ A. M.
ERIN, Webster, Saturday, Nov. 13, at 10 A. M.
Passage to Liverpool or Queenstown: Cabin, $100 and $80; Steerage, $30, currency.
Steerage tickets from Liverpool or Queenstown, $30, currency.
Apply at the Company's office, No. 69 Broadway.
F. W. J. HURDY, Manager.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY'S
THROUGH LINE TO
CALIFORNIA AND CHINA.
FREIGHT AND PASSAGE GREATLY REDUCED.
Through rates, New-York to San Francisco:
First Class, $140 to $150. Steerage, $65.
according to location of berth.
These rates include berths, board and all necessaries for the trip.
Next steamer of the above line leaves Pier No. 42 North River, foot of Canal-st., at 12 o'clock noon,
ON NOV. 20.
One hundred pounds of baggage free to each adult.
Medicine and attendance free.
NOV. 6—ALASKA, Captain GRAY, connecting with CONSTITUTION, Captain [illegible]
Steamer JAPAN will leave San Francisco Dec. 4 for China and Japan.
NOTICE TO SHIPPERS.
For reduced rates of freight apply on wharf. Freight for steamer ALASKA received until 4 P. M. on FRIDAY, Nov. 12. All usual facilities afforded shippers in collecting inland charges, &c.
For freight or passage tickets, and all further information, apply at the Company's ticket office, on the wharf foot of Canal-st. F. R. BABY, Agent.

HAVANA, SISAL AND VERA CRUZ.
New-York and Mexican Mail Steamship Line, from Pier No. 17 East River, at 12 M.
The splendid new steamship
CLEOPATRA, Capt. PHILLIPS, Wednesday, Nov. 10.
CITY OF MEXICO, Capt. DEAKES, Thursday, Nov. 25.
For freight or passage apply to
F. ALMANDEZ & SONS, No. 32 Broadway.

UNITED STATES MAIL TO HAVANA.
ATLANTIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY, Sailing regularly every THURSDAY, at 3 o'clock P. M., from Pier No. 4 North River.
COLUMBIA, Captain E. VAN SICE.....Nov. 11
EAGLE, Captain M. B. GREENE.....Nov. 18
MORRO CASTLE, Capt. R. ADAMS.....Nov. 25
For freight or passage apply to
S. G. WHEELER, Jr., President,
No. 5 Bowling-green.

FOR NASSAU, N. P.,
CARRYING THE ROYAL MAILS.
Atlantic Mail S. S. Co.'s Steamer COLUMBIA, Capt. E. VAN SICE, THURSDAY, Dec. 2, at 3 P. M., from Pier No. 4 North River.
For freight or passage apply to
S. G. WHEELER, Jr., President,
No. 5 Bowling-green.

FOR HAVANA—UNITED STATES MAIL.
The well-known first-class sidewheel steamship RAPIDAN, Lt. WHITEHURST, Commander, will be dispatched from Pier No. 34 North River, on SATURDAY, Nov. 6, at 3 P. M.
For freight or passage, having superior stateroom accommodations, apply to
LIVINGSTON, FOX & CO.,
No. 29 Liberty-st.

FOR ST. THOMAS AND BRAZIL.
UNITED STATES AND BRAZIL MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.
REGULAR MAIL STEAMERS sailing on the 3d of every month for Rio Janeiro, Pernambuco, Bahia and SOUTH AMERICA, Capt. TINKLEPAUGH, Nov. 22.
NORTH AMERICA, Capt. SLOCUM, Dec. 3.
MERRIMACK, Capt. WINN, Jan. 3.
These steamers carry mail to Rio Janeiro this and all of St. Thomas, Para, Pernambuco, Bahia and Rio de Janeiro, going and returning. For engagements of freight or passage, apply to
W. H. GARRISON, Agent,
No. 5 Bowling-green, New-York.

FOR SAVANNAH, GA.,
AND THE SOUTH AND SOUTHWEST.
GREAT SOUTHERN FREIGHT AND PASSENGER LINE STEAMSHIPS, AND CENTRAL RAILROAD OF GEORGIA.
GREAT REDUCTION IN FREIGHT RATES TO ALL POINTS IN THE INTERIOR.
FOUR STEAMERS A WEEK,
TUESDAY, THURSDAY AND SATURDAY,
THE STEAMSHIPS
SAN JACINTO, Captain SKIDDY, SATURDAY, Nov. 6, from Pier No. 3 North River, at 3 P. M.
WM. R. GARRISON, Agent,
No. 5 Bowling-green.

HUNTSVILLE, Captain CROWELL, SATURDAY, Nov. 6, from Pier No. 12 North River, at 12 M.
R. LOWDEN, Agent, No. 20 West-st.

VIRGO, Captain BULKLEY, TUESDAY, Nov. 9, from Pier No. 16 East River, at 3 P. M.
MURRAY FERRIS & CO., Agents,
Nos. 51 and 53 South-st.

HERMAN LIVINGSTON, Captain SHEERMAN, THURSDAY, Nov. 11, from Pier No. 34 North River, at 3 P. M.
LIVINGSTON, FOX & CO., Agents,
No. 29 Liberty-st.

FOR NEW-ORLEANS DIRECT.
THE CROMWELL LINE.
Steamships of this line will leave Pier N North River at 3 o'clock P. M., as follows:
CORTES.....NELSON.....Saturday, Nov. 6
GEO. WASHINGTON.....COLES.....Saturday, Nov. 13
Freight taken on the usual terms, and through rates to all points in Texas.
For passage, first and second cabin, or freight, apply to
M. B. CROMWELL & CO., No. 3 West-st.

NOTICE TO TRAVELLERS.
Families or gentlemen going to travel on the Continent of Europe, by taking the steamers of this course, should never leave Paris without one; their service are invaluable in relieving the traveler from multiplicity of cares and troubles respecting passports, examination and conveyance of luggage; in insuring the best accommodations, in protecting the traveler from imposition, and an infinity of annoyances to which they are exposed in various parts of the Continent. Gentlemen and trustworthy couriers and traveling servants may always be obtained by applying to the COURIER SOCIETY, No. 2 Rue d'Alger, near the Tuileries Garden, Paris.

SHIPPING.

FOR MOBILE
VIA FERNANDINA ROUTE.
THE FLORIDA RAILROAD COMPANY WILL DISPATCH THE
FIRST-CLASS STEAMSHIP
G. W. LORD,
CAPT. A. HINES,
On SATURDAY, Nov. 6, from Pier No. 36 North River, at 3 P. M. Cargo delivered without lighterage at Mobile.
Insurance guaranteed at one and a half per cent to Mobile.
Through Rates and Bills Lading given to Selma, Montgomery, and all points in the Interior at LOWER RATES than any other line.
For freight or cabin apply to
J. J. PATTERSON, Agent, No. 177 West-st., or to R. H. DRUMMOND & CO., No. 34 Wall-st.
Mobile Agents, E. J. INGERSOLL & CO.

FOR CHARLESTON, S. C., THE FLORIDA FORT, THE SOUTH AND SOUTHWEST—BENGER'S LINE.—The popular steamship SARAGOSSA, C. RYDER, Commander, will sail THURSDAY, 11th November, at 3 P. M., from Pier No. 5 North River, foot of Broad-st.
Price of passage reduced to $18.
Through bills of lading to all points South and Southwest. Agents in Charleston (Savannah & Co.) forward all goods free of commission.
The sidewheel steamship MAGNOLIA will sail 18th November.

UNITED STATES PASSPORT BUREAU.
United States passports indispensable to travelers, issued by J. S. NONES, Passport Agent, 365 Broadway.

STEAMBOATS.

FOR BOSTON
VIA
FALL RIVER, TOUCHING AT NEWPORT.
The world renowned steamers
BRISTOL AND PROVIDENCE,
Commander, BEARSE AND OSBORN,
will leave (alternate days) DAILY
from Pier No. 39 North River,
AT FOUR P. M.
foot of Chambers-st.
D. C. HALL'S CELEBRATED GOLD BUGLE, BRASS, STRING AND REED BANDS.
GRAND PROMENADE CONCERT EVERY EVENING.
This is the only line running on
SUNDAY NIGHT BOAT.
JAMES FISK, Jr., President.
M. B. SIMONS, Managing Director.
CHAS. H. VAILE, General Freight Agent.
H. B. MANGAM, Freight Agent.
Narragansett Steamship Company

NOTICE.
NARRAGANSETT STEAMBOAT COMPANY.
FALL RIVER LINE.
SUNDAY BOAT DISCONTINUED.
The steamers of this line will make their last Sunday trip this season on Sunday, Nov. 7, 1869.
JAMES FISK, Jr., President.
CHAS. H. VAILE, Gen. Pass. Agent.
M. B. SIMONS, Managing Director.

STONINGTON LINE.
TO BOSTON AND PROVIDENCE.
GREAT INSIDE ROUTE—SHORTEST AND MOST DIRECT.
Fare always as low as by any other line.
The new and elegant side-wheel steamers
STONINGTON AND NARRAGANSETT,
Capt. JOHN BRAMHALL and Capt. GEO. B. HULL,
Will leave Pier No. 35, foot of Jay-st., North River, at 4 P. M.
Arriving ahead of all other lines.
Tickets sold and baggage checked on board of the Jersey Blues, and at Dodd's Express Office, No. 944 Broadway.
H. B. BABCOCK,
President Stonington Steamboat Company.

PEOPLE'S LINE FOR ALBANY.
THE LARGEST AND MOST MAGNIFICENT STEAMERS IN THE WORLD.
THE RIVERS DAY DREW AND DAN MCCHESNEY.
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LEAVE NEW-YORK. | LEAVE RED BANK.
Saturday, Oct. 30, 2:30 P. M. | Friday, Oct. 29...12:00 M.
Tuesday, Nov. 2...2:00 P. M. | Monday, Nov. 1...1:00 P. M.
Wednesday, Nov. 3...2:30 P. M. | Tuesday, Nov. 2...7:00 A. M.
Thursday, Nov. 4...2:30 P. M. | Thursday, Nov. 4...7:00 A. M.
Friday, Nov. 5...2:30 P. M. | Friday, Nov. 5...8:30 A. M.
Tuesday, Nov. 9...11:00 A. M. | Monday, Nov. 8...8:00 A. M.
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Trains leave 30th-st. depot as follows:
6:45 A. M.—way train for Albany.
8:00 A. M.—Buffalo express, drawing-room cars attached.
10:30 A. M.—Northern and Western express, drawing-room cars attached.
11:00 A. M.—Albany express, through in 3½ hours; elegant drawing-room cars attached.
4:00 P. M.—Montreal express, drawing-room cars attached.
5:30 P. M.—Pacific express, with sleeping-cars attached, through to Chicago without change, (daily.)
11:00 P. M.—Night express, sleeping-cars attached.
3:00 A. M.—Albany express.
5:00 P. M.—Poughkeepsie train, (Sundays, 9 A. M.)
10:00 A. M., 4:15 and 7 P. M.—Yonkers trains.
5:30 and 6 P. M.—Sing Sing trains.
6:30, 7:15, 8:30, 9:30, 11:00 A. M., 2, 4:30, 5:15, 7:15 and 11:00 P. M.—Yonkers trains.
Aug. 30, 1869. J. M. TOUSEY, Superintendent.

ERIE RAILWAY.—TRAINS WILL LEAVE ERIE depots, foot of Chambers-st. and foot of 23d-st., as follows:
Through Express trains, at 6 A. M., 10 A. M., 5:30 P. M. and 8:30 P. M. daily. New and improved drawing-room coaches will accompany the 6 A. M. train through to Buffalo, connecting at Hornellsville with magnificent sleeping coaches through to Cleveland. Sleeping coaches will accompany the 8 A. M. train from Susquehanna to Buffalo; the 5:30 P. M. train to Buffalo, and the 8:30 P. M. train to Hornellsville, and the 10 A. M. train to Dunkirk, Buffalo and Cincinnati. An emigrant train leaves daily at 8 P. M.
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For Otisville and Way, at 8:30 A. M. daily.
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For Hackensack and Way, from 23d-st. Depot, at 6:30 A. M., 10 A. M., 12 M., 1:30 P. M., (daily,) 4 P. M., 5 P. M. and 6:30 P. M. From Chambers-st. Depot, at 6:30 A. M., 10:15 A. M., 12 M., 1:45 P. M., (daily,) 4 P. M., 5:15 P. M. and 6:45 P. M.
For Hackensack and Way, from 23d-st. Depot, at 9 A. M., 12 M., 4 P. M., 5 P. M., 6 P. M. and 8:30 P. M. From Chambers-st. Depot, at 9 A. M., 12 M., 4 P. M., 5:15 P. M., 6:45 P. M. and 8 P. M.
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C. W. DOUGLAS, Superintendent.

NORTHERN RAILROAD OF NEW-JERSEY.—Trains will leave New-York by the Paterson Ferry, foot of Chambers-st., as follows: At 9 A. M., 1, 3:30, 4:15, 5:30 and 8:30 P. M. and at 12 midnight on Saturdays. The 9:15 A. M. and 1, 4:15 and 5:15 P. M. trains run through to Hackettstown.

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MISS WARREN'S ENGLISH AND FRENCH School for Boys, Tuxedo's Lyric Hall, 6th-av., between 41st and 42d sts.—Parents wishing a good school for boys under 14 will do well to call.

MRS. J. J. ROBERTS AND MISS MALLERY will reopen their Day School for young ladies, No. 12 Madison-av., one door below 23d-st., on MONDAY, Sept. 20.

MRS. PRINCE AND MISS LYONS will reopen their Boarding and Day School for young ladies and children, 324 West 23d-st., will open Sept. 14, 1869. Apply for circulars to above address.

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MRS. SITZ-HENRI'S SCHOOL, NO. 46 Irving-place, reopened Sept. 21.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

SUPREME COURT.—IN THE MATTER of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New-York relative to the widening and straightening of Broadway, between Thirty-fourth-street and Fifty-ninth-street; and also in the making of that part of Broadway between Forty-second and Forty-third streets, and that part between Forty-second and Forty-seventh streets, of a street of greater width than one hundred feet, in the City of New-York.—Pursuant to statutes in such cases made and provided, the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New-York, hereby give notice that, in compliance with the act of the Legislature of the State of New-York, entitled "An act to alter the charter of the City of New-York, and to carry the alterations into effect," passed May 17, 1869, three-fifths being present, they intend to apply to the Supreme Court of the State of New-York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held before the Honorable Albert Cardozo, Justice, in the City Hall, in the City of New-York, on WEDNESDAY, the 10th day of November, 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M., or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, in the above-entitled matter; that the nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the widening of Broadway to the width of one hundred feet, and the straightening of the same, between Thirty-fourth-street and Fifty-ninth-street, and the making of that part of Broadway between Thirty-second-street and Thirty-fifth-street, and between Forty-second-street and Forty-seventh-street, of a greater width than one hundred feet, in the City of New-York, in the manner provided by said act and said Legislature. RICHARD O'GORMAN,
Counsel to the Corporation.
Dated NEW-YORK, Oct. 19, 1869.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the subscriber, appointed by the Supreme Court receiver of the estate, funds and effects of the BAILEY MANUFACTURING COMPANY, of the City of New-York, does hereby call a general meeting of the creditors of the said Company, at No. 186 Broadway, Room No. 15, in the City of New-York, on the 7th day of January, 1870, at 10 o'clock M., when all accounts and demands for and against such corporation and all the property and effects of the said corporation will be and adjusted as far as may be; and the amount of moneys in the hands of the receiver declared.—Dated New-York, Nov. 1, 1869.
BALDWIN & CLARKE FARNING, Receiver, &c.
MURPHY & STOUT, Attorneys, 160 Broadway, N. Y.

EXCISE NOTICE.—THE UNDERSIGNED will apply to the Metropolitan Board of Excise, on the 29th day of November, 1869, for a license to sell ale and beer, only, at No. 679 Water-st., New-York.
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No. 4 EAST 16TH-ST., ONE DOOR from 5th-av.—One suite of rooms to let, "with private table only," to a small family.

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EVANGELICAL UNION.

The Proposed World's Conference of Protestant Churches.

Preliminary Gathering in This City Yesterday.

The Alliance to Meet in New-York Next Autumn.

Report of Rev. Dr. Schaff, the American Delegate to European Branches.

Pere Hyacinthe's Views on Christian Unity.

The preliminary meeting for taking into consideration what measures should be adopted for making successful the proposed World's Conference of the Evangelical Alliance, was held at 11 o'clock yesterday morning, in the Reformed Church, corner of Fifth-avenue and Twenty-ninth-street. Hon. Wm. E. Dodge, presided. A large auditory, composed in great part of ladies, was present. The exercises were opened by Rev. Howard Crosby, who gave out the hymn:

"Come we who love the Lord,
And let our joys be known."

in which the whole audience joined.

Rev. Dr. DeWitt then read the seventeenth chapter of the Gospel according to St. John, and offered up prayer.

Mr. Gorham D. Abbott, Secretary of the Committee of Arrangements, then read letters of regret at not being able to be present at the meeting, from Bishop McIlvaine, of Ohio; Rev. Dr. McClintock, of Madison, N. J.; Rev. Dr. Stearns, President of Amherst College; Rev. Dr. Bacon, of New-Haven; Rev. Dr. Blackburn, of Boston; Rev. Dr. Fisher, of Tilton; Rev. Dr. Phillips, of Boston, and from a friend of Rev. Henry Ward Beecher. The last-mentioned letter stated that Mr. Beecher had been called to Albany in consequence of the sudden and severe illness of his daughter.

Hon. Wm. E. Dodge then announced that they had assembled to hear the report of Rev. Dr. Philip Schaff, who was sent out by the Evangelical Alliance of the United States, last Spring, to the several Branches of the Alliance in Europe, to consult with them respecting a General Conference of all the Branches to be held in the City of New-York in the Fall of 1869. The question as to the advisability of that proposed Conference was now to be decided, and means were to be provided for defraying the expenses of such delegates who were not in circumstances to meet the cost of attending the Assembly. He then introduced Rev. Dr. Schaff, who made a brief report of his efforts as the Agent of the Alliance to bring about the proposed Conference.

REMARKS OF REV. DR. SCHAFF.

To-day, he said, the British Evangelical Alliance is sitting in Derby, England, the Earl of Shaftesbury presiding; and while he was addressing this audience a report of his operations as agent of the American Branch was being read to the conference at Derby. It was highly desirable that a telegram should be sent to their British brethren informing them that the American Branch was cooperating with them in bringing to a glorious issue the proposed World's Conference. The importance of the contemplated assembly could not be overestimated. The Fall meeting, if it is the one intended, would be the event of 1870 as the Ecumenical Council at Rome will doubtless be the event of 1869. It gave him great joy to report the full success of the mission on which he had been sent by the Alliance, and which, from his knowledge of many of the leading evangelical divines in Europe he was probably better qualified than many others to perform. He had not, therefore, felt himself at liberty to decline the mission, though the state of his health, when it was undertaken, was precarious. Two days after his arrival in England he attended the Executive Committee of the Alliance, which met at that time. Its object was to decide whether or not the proposed assembly in New-York would have representatives from their body. All the difficulties which first presented themselves in connection with this member were removed, and the Alliance cordially pledged its cooperation in the movement on a fraternal basis. He cooperated with the British brethren in the most friendly manner, and could vouch for it that there was among them no difficulty with regard to the assembly of 1870.

The Committee of Arrangements had also passed at the gathering referred to, extending its hearty sympathy to the American branch in the matter of the proposed conference, and pledging itself to have representatives thereon. He subsequently attended and addressed a meeting at Freemasons' Hall, in London, composed of religious people, who heartily concurred in the idea of the projected conference. This meeting was in every respect a fine one, and the unanimity of its deliberations were in marked contrast with the feelings of the people and the avowals of the English Press, which, two months ago, had reached a high point relative to a forthcoming war with the United States; these sentiments being predicated on the speech delivered by Senator Sumner regarding the *Alabama* claims. He then presented a provisional programme embracing a programme of the subjects which the Conference would be expected to deliberate, and sent it to eminent Protestants in all parts of Europe, inviting their cooperation. From many of these answers had been received, and in every case their approval was secured. He attended several religious conferences of various denominations, and met with a hearty welcome from all. The Congregationalist Conference accepted the invitation to attend, as also did other religious assemblies. The two convocations of the Free Kirk of Scotland also warmly indorsed the movement. He had personal interviews with the Archbishops of Canterbury and York, and Bishop Wilberforce, the leading divines of England and Scotland belonging to the Baptist, Wesleyan and other bodies, all of whom looked favorably on the proposition. [The doctor here read a list of names of those eminent clergymen who expect to be present.] The celebrated Dean Stanley, the Rev. Dr. Alford, Dean of Canterbury, could not attend, in consequence of his having made arrangements to visit Palestine at the time proposed for holding the conference; but he will send a paper on "Christian Unity," to be read in the assembly. He found the people of England greatly exercised at the time over the threatened war with the United States, based on the *Alabama* claims. In response to a toast at a dinner given to a number of ministers, he told them that when he left the United States no sensible man dreamed of war between the two countries. The position of the United States, he informed them, was simply this: Here is our bill; if you choose to pay it, well and good; if not, why, we will let it lie over. (Laughter.) The American Government would not, he assured them, rush into war in consequence of the utterances of one single Senator. In conversation with the Archbishop of Canterbury, he told him that the Christian people in America would be glad if he would use his very clear to lend his official aid to the proposed conference. The Archbishop did not promise to do this, but referred him to Dean Alford, as one who would be likely to take a great interest in the matter. At dinner at the Archbishop's palace subsequently, he was introduced to the Dean, who then promised to send the paper on "Christian Unity," referred to in the foregoing part of his remarks. He also visited Rev. Mr. Spurgeon, and endeavored to get from him a promise to attend the conference. He saw that celebrated man preaching to an attentive and serious congregation of 7,000 people. Spurgeon then declined being a delegate to the assembly, but since that time it has been intimated that he is anxious to come. His mission on the continent was more difficult at first; but it eventuated gloriously. In France, Holland, Switzerland and Germany the result of his efforts was as successful as in England. He proposed to give an account of his mission in this respect at a subsequent meeting. The time selected (1870) is highly favorable for an Ecumenical Conference, as the proposed gathering might be called. Had 1869 been selected there would have been no representatives from the churches on the continent in attendance thereon. The success of the movement, however, depended on the spirit of God, which all prayed might be with them when the great assembly should meet. The gathering of so many followers of the Redeemer, intent on furthering the interests of Christ's Kingdom would be productive of mighty results to the Christian world. It would bring the two continents to a better understanding of each other, and would, in addition to its effect in a purely religious sense, propagate true impressions of liberty over all the earth. It was a glorious opportunity for spreading religious truth over the world never occurred, and would never occur again. It should be, therefore, the prayer of every true Christian, that it may be brought to successful fruition.

The audience then sang the hymn,

"All hail the power of Jesus' name."

RESOLUTIONS OF APPROVAL.

Rev. Dr. Schenck, of Brooklyn, was the next speaker. He referred in complimentary terms to the very excellent report of Dr. Schaff, and belonged to present some resolutions for the adoption of the meeting:

Resolved, That we have listened with feelings of deep interest and grateful satisfaction to the report of Rev. Dr. Schaff, and while gladly welcoming home the distinguished representative of the American Branch of the Evangelical Alliance, we, in exchange with him our warm congratulations upon the successful issue of his mission, and thank him for the important and abilities service he has rendered.

Resolved, That as we heartily approve, as we are informed, of the Fall of 1869 as the time, and the object which have been taken for a general conference of evangelical Christians, and, as we believe, the general desire, to hold a Conference of the Evangelical Alliance in the United States, we, therefore, be it further

Resolved, That we do hereby cordially and with a whole-hearted American invitation and welcome to the several branches of the Evangelical Alliance in the various parts of Christendom to unite in general Conference in the City of New-York, at a date hereafter to be agreed upon, during the Autumn of the year 1869.

Resolved, That we are eminently gratified to learn, by the report of Rev. Dr. Schaff, that the preliminary institution of the American Branch, conveyed through him to our brethren in Europe, has been so kindly received that we have already good reason to expect the attendance of a number of distinguished delegates, and that we have every encouragement to anticipate a large representation from Great Britain and the continent.

Resolved, That in offering to our brethren abroad the hospitalities of New-York, we trust, under God, more than open doors and hearts full of welcome, looking forward, as we do, to such communion in Christ Jesus, that those united together, touched by the mantle of His Kingdom, shall bring down upon our churches and the world we seek to evangelize a fresh baptism of blessing, and help us all who are called to be Christian unity and spiritual fellowship for an edification through Christ, of a heavy fellowship when labor shall cease and love be in blessed forever.

REMARKS OF REV. DR. SCHENCK.

He presented these resolutions, he said, for the sake of illustrating the sentiments of the audience on the important issues presented, and of giving some little direction to this debate that should ensue, rather than for any other purpose. When Dr. Schaff's mission was undertaken a good deal of discouragement was felt in reference to the result. An earlier time had been fixed, but the matter was postponed, to the disappointment of a great many, but he blessed God that the Conference had been postponed to next year, when they expected to have a larger attendance than they could possibly have at present. He thanked God for the past, and took courage for the future, and he hoped and believed the great council of next year would be a grand success. The numbers and character of the audience testified to the interest taken in the coming council, and he was well aware that the interest in it was not local, but it spread in all directions. The time had come when the people should subscribe, so that the Executive Committee would have something to stand on, and he believed that a sum of not less than $10,000 could be collected that day, and by so doing they would show a hearty sympathy with the proposed Conference of the Evangelical Alliance. This money was required to pay the expenses of delegates, and to extend to them a true American hospitality—a hospitality at least equal to that exhibited at Amsterdam to the American delegates who, in performance of a noble duty, had visited that city; $10,000 would be money sufficiently small toward the furtherance of this great project of the American Alliance, for he looked forward to the proposed Conference as pregnant of great results, and he trusted that the friends of the Evangelical Alliance would give a proof of their sympathy and love by contributing promptly and liberally.

It was moved and seconded that the resolutions lie on the table, to be ready for further consideration last evening, which was agreed to.

FINANCES PROMISEDLY.

Rev. Dr. Prime remarked that one gentleman had already agreed to contribute toward the expense of one delegate, $500; another had promised to provide for three; another to provide for two, and two or three gentlemen had agreed to provide for one each; and he believed there were at least twenty gentlemen present who would act in a similar manner.

Dr. De Witt said he was ready to provide for all from Holland who were willing to come to this country.

Rev. Mr. Hall said that on the part of his church, he was ready to contribute one-tenth of the $10,000 needed.

REMARKS OF REV. DR. M'COSH.

Rev. Dr. McCosh then stepped forward, and was received with loud applause. He said: The most remarkable doctrine established in our day in physical science and doctrine, singularly illustrative of the power and wisdom of God, is what has been characteristically designated as a correlation of the physical force. According to that sublime doctrine there is just one force operating throughout the whole universe, but variously modified in different circumstances. It is the same power that moves and breathes, burns in the fire, shines in the light, gives us all our mechanical power that sets our machinery going, and is the power in our animal life, and enables us to live. That is the doctrine established in our day, and this power is a power derived almost exclusively from the sun, coming from the sun to our earth, entering the plants of our earth, going into everything, diffusing itself over the whole of this globe. Now I think this is a magnificent illustration of the work of the Spirit of God in the church and in the individual christian. It is said in the Scriptures that there is one Spirit, but there is a diversity of gifts. It is the one Spirit throughout the universal church that has called men out of the world and ministry and brought them into a state of salvation, to a Redeemer who has united them to God through Christ. This manifests itself into a variety of forms, and as we have a diversity in nature so it is in the church of God, where we have such a diversity of gifts. One man has a sanctified knowledge, another has talents to devote to the promotion of God's grace, another having a abundant zeal, another having great love. As it is in individuals, so it is in churches. One church is distinguished for one gift. Some churches have been greatly distinguished for the seal with which they have defended the glorious doctrines of the word of God; others have been remarkable for liberality; others for keeping up a proper sort of fellowship among the members of the Church, one with another. While there are these diversities of gifts in the Church, still they are all one. The holy Roman Catholic Church has perverted that doctrine—we understand it, and not only that, but it has turned it into ridicule. That Church formally acknowledge it, and it is of very great moment that Protestants should not forget it. There is a true doctrine of the unity of the Church of God. We might all belong to different denominations, but they are all one in Christ, and are bound therefore to acknowledge each other. This is a duty in which the Protestant churches have largely failed. Each has been seeking to bear up its own body, and I don't object to that, because after all it is through small bodies great work is to be carried on. But we have to forget the other doctrine, which is equally important—that we are after all one in Christ, and being in Christ, that we should exhibit that unity, acknowledge it every where, and especially by saying to every person truly united to Christ—every one that makes a proper profession and seems to be worthy of the profession—that we acknowledge them as brothers and sisters in Christ Jesus. And if any body of Christians forget this doctrine, it will be greater to their own injury. They will be greatly narrowed in the spirit of the work they do. I would compare a Church so situated to a stagnant pool that is receiving no streams into it, and is, as it were, not living at all—not living for Christ; whereas I would compare the true Church to a lake that is receiving streams and keeping it constantly fresh, and on the other hand giving out living streams of water to the districts through which they flow. It is the object of the Evangelical Alliance to try to constitute the unity of the Church. The Church is one because it is composed of a company of believers, and believers are already one in Christ. The Church is one. But we can acknowledge this unity of the Church; we can manifest it before the world; so that as Christ and the Father are one, so believers may all be one in time, and manifest this unity. But this unity is manifest; it is clearly promised, it has some probable influence on the world, and it is of the utmost moment that this Protestantism should not hold it theoretically, but that they should exhibit it; and this will be the best counterpoise that we can possibly have to that council which is to meet at Rome. They will exhibit, they say, a unity of organization; but they will not exhibit the unity of the spirit of true Christians, and we should set before the world a very different exhibition, an exhibition which we regard as a true unity, a substantial unity, a unity of spirit, a unity, above all, in love to a common Saviour, and in love one to another. The main object of the Evangelical Alliance is to manifest to the world the unity of the body of Christ. But, is this all we can accomplish? Are you to meet simply to express sentiments or exhibit feelings? If this be so, people will at once say that this body cannot be of permanent power; that it may produce some momentary feeling, but it will have no lasting effect on the country. If you allow me I would speak to some of the practical working which this Evangelical Alliance may accomplish, which it has in part accomplished, for each succeeding time it will accomplish more than it has done before. It will bring us Christians, from various lands, in some delightful fellowship. Reference has been made to the meeting at Holland, and nothing struck me more than the way in which we were there enabled to sing the praises of God. There were put into our hands a prayer book in which were printed in parallel columns, Dutch, German, German and English. It seemed as if it was impossible to hold communion, but the same sentiment was held in each tongue, and we sang to the same tune, and we felt as if we were enjoying that fellowship which saints shall have in glory. People of all various Christian denominations we met there. One addressed us in German, and another in French, another in Dutch, and I was expected to address in English, but Dr. Schaick being present, I thought it better our American brethren should be represented in Europe, and he gave us a spirit-stirring address. There we sat at the table and testified our love to our common Master, and in the meantime we felt our hearts burning with love, one toward another, and we left that place with a larger infection than we entered. It is of great moment we should know what men in other countries have done for the advancement of the truth. I reckon on a great crisis for this country, and I believe we are in the midst of the struggle. There is a fight going on between a loving Christianity and an open infidelity, such as was not exhibited in any age. It began in Germany, and men there have gained the victory. What was said there reminded me of what your most distinguished President remarked to me sometime since, when I had the pleasure of passing an evening with him. In the course of the evening a sentiment came from the depths of his heart when he said: "I was on the picket line the whole of that war, from the commencement to the end of it, and I never despaired of success. I was as sure at the beginning and the middle of it as I was at the end." (Applause.) So with the doctrine of truth; it will eventually become successful. There are evil days coming on for Christ, but their words are telling. Only a few minutes ago you had to help a gentleman to their platform, but when he got there what a stream of eloquence came from him; and I trust men will come from that country to the battle field, and extend the victory. I believe they will come here and tell us how the victory was gained there. Unitarianism has to fall in it. Rationalism is now gone. It is no use for a young man to fight with it. We are come to the age of manhood. There are some of us who are old men, and there have come among us warriors telling us of the battle engaged, and preparing us to engage in a similar battle. And there is an old contest between the Church of Rome and the Protestant Churches. We need to counsel together as to what should be done in the present emergency, for though the Church of Rome is substantially the same always, yet it suits itself to the circumstances in which it is placed. Having been in Ireland—the very midst of the battle-field in the Old Country—the most Popish country in the world, I know perfectly the character in which the forces of Antichrist are at present moving. They are moving in the direction of education. They want to break up your State system of education. They will be joined in this by the infidel. They have already succeeded in New-York in getting a separate sum of money paid by you, with which they will teach the doctrines of Popery from the hour school opens until it closes. [Applause.] While you expose the theoretical errors of the Church of Rome, you have, at the same time, to take care that the State system of education be not destroyed, which, with the Bible, combines as Protestants for the advance of the glorious system of education that is found in the United States. [Applause.] The speaker continued at considerable length on the necessity of keeping the Sabbath holy, on education, and the great necessity of providing suitable mission of purpose for the working classes, giving them comfortable according to their high station in life, and giving each an average of at least $1,000 a year.

Rev. Dr. Thompson remarked that he had no doubt that Father Hyacinthe, were he not detained in the country, would be glad to be present. He was anxious to appear as a mere spectator, in order to get acquainted with their method of action and familiar with the distinguished gentlemen present. It seemed to the reverend speaker that they should meet with affability their French brother, who had so nobly maintained truth, but who was still formally a member of the Catholic Church.

FATHER HYACINTHE ON CHRISTIAN UNITY.

Rev. L. W. Bacon, of Williamsburg, said that he was compiling Father Hyacinthe's sermons, and having acquainted that gentleman with the fact, he received a reply, to be used as a preface to the work, which he read, as follows:

"I am grateful as well as surprised at the honor which you are disposed to give to the few discourses I have delivered in Europe. I could have desired, I acknowledge, if I had been able to bring to America something less unworthy of the sympathies with which I have here been welcomed and which I shall always reckon among the greatest honors and the purest joys of my life. Such as these are, however, I commit these rough productions to the intelligence of your readers, Protestants and Catholic as you, I present them, through your hands, to that great American Republic of which you are a citizen, to the Protestant churches and Sunday Schools of the Churches of which you are one of the ministers. I am proud of my France, but I deem it a great honor for my country, and true cause, to contribute to the independence of that noble country, which is his never ceased to love, and which it shall one day learn to imitate. How many people have fallen into the deplorable error of mixing a false theory or bloody practice! With me the cause of labor has never been confounded with that relation of liberty which rears its houses of prayer and its temples of commerce, and crowns its noisy and productive week with the sweetness and majesty of its worship. I continue faithful to my Church and faith, and I have protested against the decisions which have transported it, and which seem bound upon its ruin. You may measure the intensity of my love to-day by the bitterness of my lamentation. When He who is the Shepherd of our flock, uses our example, scourged himself with a scourge of cords against the profaners of the Temple, His disciples remembered that it was written, "The zeal of thine house hath eaten up." I am faithful to my Church, I am faithful to the less sensible of the interest which must be felt in the bosom of other Churches in what I may say or do within the pale of Catholicism. For that matter, I have never abandoned the Catholic Church, because that have been separated from Rome have been disinherited of the Holy Ghost, and without a part in the infinite work of the propagation for the Kingdom of God, which is the mission of the Church. Among the most learned of their members, I have experienced in the very depths of my soul, that unutterable blessing of the communion of saints. Whatever may divide us externally in time, we feel that we are a stream in the presence of that which unites us within—the grace of the same God, the blood of the same cross, the Host of the same Trinity. Whatever be the prejudices which may be against God, the Spirit, the most hidden thing, who gives His hand which is leading us, we are laboring all in common for the upbuilding of that Church of the future which shall be the Church of the people of universal humanity. In the days of his captivity the word of the Lord came to Ezekiel and said to him, Take a stick and write thereon For Judah and for the children of Israel, his associates; then take another stick and write thereon for Joseph; also a stick for Ephraim and for all the house of Israel, his associates. Then then shall join them one to the other, that they shall form but one stick, and they shall be united in my hand. The Lord hath then put in my hands two branches, Rome and the children of others. I have pressed them together in my heart, and I have felt in the outpouring of my tears that they are one. I have no longer to distinguish between them but one tree. Men have dared to scorn my efforts, scoringly so, and they ask of me, as they have asked of Peter, of Luther, of Calvin, "Will you not tell us what then that you would do?" And I, upon that tree that seems still torn and mutilated, and already I behold the brilliant branches and the savory fruit, I reply, "Behold the branches, behold the one fold and one shepherd." Br. HYACINTHE.

HIGHLAND FALLS, All Saints Day, Nov. 2, 1869.

The reading of the letter was frequently interrupted with loud applause. After rendering of the hymn "Praise God," &c., the meeting adjourned until 7 P. M.

EVENING SESSION.

At the evening meeting, beginning at 7:30 o'clock, the church was crowded with auditors. After appropriate religious exercises, Rev. Dr. Schaff read a report of his efforts in behalf of the proposed conference.

CONTINUATION OF DR. SCHAFF'S REPORT.

For the last six months, he said, the newspaper Press everywhere had spoken frequently of the Pope's coming Ecumenical Council. If aspired to the dignity of one of the ancient gatherings of the Church, such as that of Nice, Ephesus, and the pseudo Ecumenical Council of Trent—one of those assemblies that make an epoch in the history of the human race—and it will exert an influence on the religious characteristics of millions yet unborn. The question with the Protestant world now is, shall this Roman assembly pass unanswered. The Council of Trent was answered by the Synod of Dort and the Westminster Assembly. What shall be done in this new emergence? The speaker then said that after the Council at Rome shall have been held the Council at New-York would claim an equal share of public attention. The speaker then gave an account of the difficulties that beset him while pursuing his mission in behalf of the Alliance on the Continent. Crossing the Atlantic to be present at the conference seemed to be an obstacle in the way of the German Professors whom he approached on this subject; want of time was another objection, as was also ignorance of the English language and of the English world. He saw the Prussian Minister of Public Instruction, and also the King of Wurtemburg, who, on his representation gave permission to those professors in the national institutions of those countries who wished to attend the conference to be absent three months for that purpose. The wives of many of the clergy objected to their going away on what they regarded as a hazardous voyage. Finally, however, all these difficulties were settled and promises of attendance were received from many of the most eminent divines in Germany. He then went to Paris, to see the French branch of the Evangelical Alliance, in June. It was attended by the most distinguished clergymen and laymen, and they pledged themselves to cooperate fully in the movement. They feel that such a meeting, held here, would be frequently